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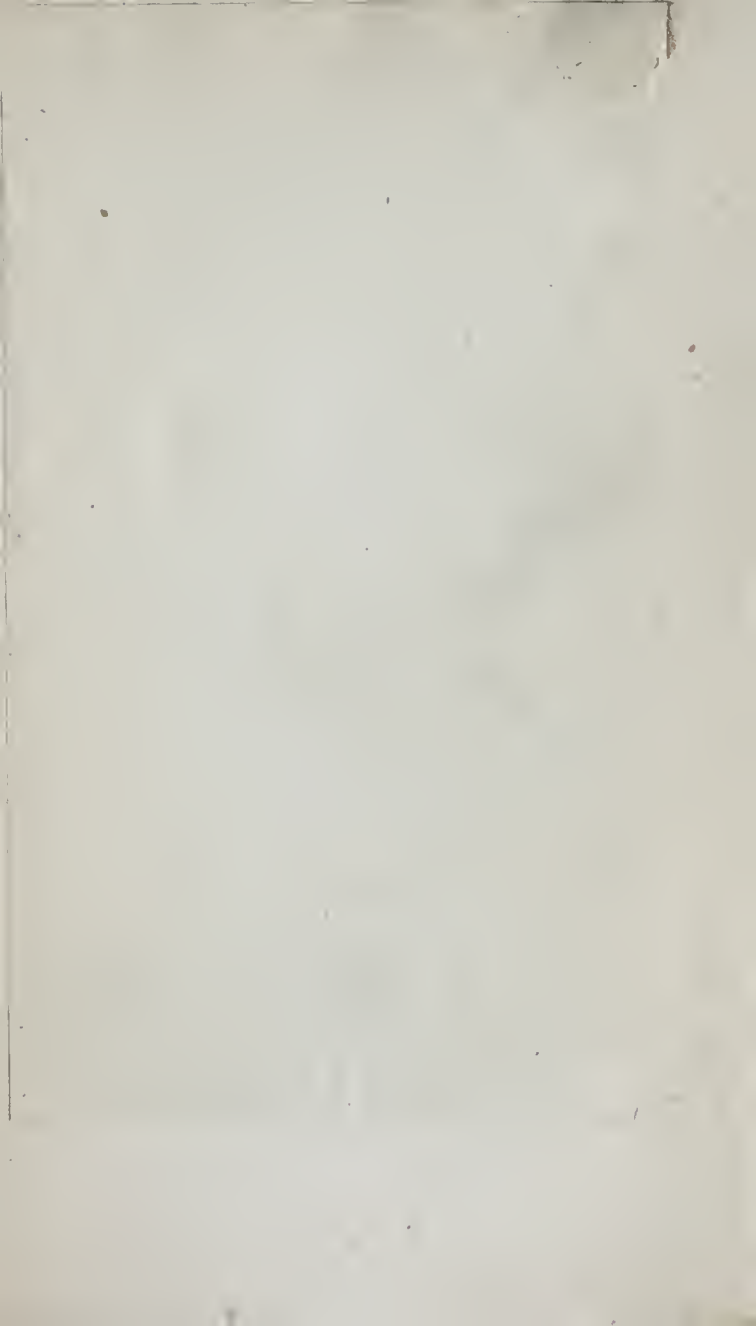
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PART I.—JANUARY TO JUNE.

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1876.

*County of Wilts.  
Southern Division.*

The Honourable Henry Frederick Thynne (commonly called Lord Henry Frederick Thynne),  
Treasurer of Her Majesty's Household.

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*Whitchall, December 27, 1875.*

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Sir William Earle Gregory-Welby, of Denton Hall, in the county of Lincoln, Baronet, Her Royal licence and authority that he may, in compliance with a direction contained in the last will and testament of Gregory Gregory, of Harlaxton Manor House, in the county of Lincoln, Esquire, deceased, take the surname of Gregory, in addition to and after, instead of before, that of Welby, and also bear the arms of Gregory quarterly, in the first quarter, with those of Welby, and that such surname and arms may, in like manner, be taken, borne, and used by his issue ; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect :

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's said College of Arms.

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*Admiralty, 1st January, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 5th August, 1875, the undermentioned promotions, to date 31st December, 1875, have been made :—

Commanders :

Alfred Markham,  
Charles Edward Foot,  
to be Captains in Her Majesty's Fleet.

## Lieutenants :

Arnold John Errington,  
 William Henry Hall,  
 Atwell Peregrine Macleod Lake,  
 William Metcalfe Lang,  
 Walter William Poynder,  
 Henry Rose,  
 Francis John Gray,  
 to be Commanders in Her Majesty's Fleet.

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*War Office, Pall Mall,*  
*4th January, 1876.*

*57th Regiment of Foot.*

Lieutenant-General Sir Edward Alan Holdich, K.C.B., to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General Freeman Murray, transferred to the 93rd Foot. Dated 11th December, 1875.

*93rd Regiment of Foot.*

Lieutenant-General Freeman Murray, from the 57th Foot, to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General Sir Henry William Stisted, K.C.B., deceased. Dated 11th December, 1875.

*2nd Dragoon Guards*, Captain Frederick Grea-torex retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 5th January, 1876.

*5th Dragoon Guards*, Serjeant-Major John Duncan, from the Cavalry Depôt Staff, to be Riding-Master, vice T. Miller, transferred to the Royal Horse Guards. Dated 5th January, 1876.

*1st Dragoons*, Captain Henry Stephen Swiney, from half-pay, late 69th Foot, to be Captain, vice J. A. Middleton, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant,

1st Fife-shire Light Horse Volunteer Corps.  
Dated 5th January, 1876.

*5th Lancers*, Lieutenant Edward Hugh R. Crofton, from the 1st Dragoon Guards, to be Lieutenant, in succession to Sub-Lieutenant H. Denyer, transferred to the 12th Lancers. Dated 5th January, 1876.

*7th Hussars*, Lieutenant Robert Roper to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant W. B. P. Trousdell, who resigns that appointment. Dated 5th January, 1876.

*Royal Artillery*, Veterinary-Surgeon Peter Moir resigns his Commission. Dated 5th January, 1876.

*Coldstream Guards*, Lieutenant and Captain the Honourable Edward A. Brabazon Acheson to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel C. E. Blackett, retired on half-pay. Dated 18th December, 1875.

Lieutenant Arthur Henry Clarke-Jervoise, from the 38th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Lieutenant and Captain the Honourable E. A. B. Acheson. Dated 5th January, 1876.

*Brigade Depot*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Randal Joseph Feilden, C.M.G., retires on half-pay. Dated 5th January, 1876.

*1st Foot*, Lieutenant John Williams Hughes to be Captain, vice A. Moberly, made Supernumerary whilst employed as a Captain Instructor at the School of Musketry, Hythe. Dated 16th November, 1875.

Sub-Lieutenant Vernon Gartside Tippinge to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd July, 1874.

*4th Foot*, Lieutenant Edward William Stokes to be Captain, vice C. A. Torriano, retired. Dated 18th December, 1875.

*6th Foot*, Captain William Thornhill Blois, from half-pay. late 14th Foot, to be Captain, and to be Supernumerary in that rank whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant, 1st Warwick Militia. Dated 5th January, 1876.

*9th Foot*, Captain William Berry Drinan, from the 1st West India Regiment, to be Captain, vice W. J. Massy, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant, 1st or West Norfolk Militia. Dated 5th January, 1876.

Lieutenant Herbert Durell Terry to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant D. Dickinson, appointed Superintendent of Gymnasia in the Northern District. Dated 1st December, 1875.

*13th Foot*, Captain William Russell Nash, from half-pay, late 82nd Foot, to be Captain, vice T. A. Cary, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant, 2nd Somerset Militia. Dated 5th January, 1876.

*16th Foot*, Captain William Klingender, Supernumerary List, about to be appointed to the Militia, retires on half-pay. Dated 5th January, 1876.

Captain Alexander John Darby retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 5th January, 1876.

Lieutenant Charles Gustavus Whittaker Edwardes, from the 1st West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice T. M. G. Thackeray, who exchanges. Dated 5th January, 1876.

Lieutenant Charles Du Plat Richardson-Griffiths, from the 13th Foot, to be Lieutenant. Dated 5th January, 1876.

*17th Foot*, Lieutenant John William Edward Angelo receives the value of an Ensigncy on

final transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 5th January, 1876.

Lieutenant William Barrow Stanton, from the 105th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice A. McClintock, transferred to the 26th Foot. Dated 5th January, 1876.

19th Foot, Lieutenant Montgomerie Crofton Caulfeild is superseded for absence without leave. Dated 5th January, 1876.

20th Foot, Lieutenant William Savage Baker to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant P. A. Robinson, removed from that appointment. Dated 13th November, 1875.

21st Foot, Lieutenant James Henry Scott-Douglas, from the 19th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice H. R. C. Hewat, promoted. Dated 5th January, 1876.

25th Foot, Lieutenant George Davidson Campbell Gastrell receives the value of an Ensigney on final transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 5th January, 1876.

26th Foot, Captain Francis Bernard Bleazby, from the 28th Foot, to be Captain, vice C. M. Smyth, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant, 1st Royal Lanark Militia. Dated 5th January, 1876.

28th Foot, Captain Robert Davies, from half-pay, late 14th Foot, to be Captain, vice F. B. Bleazby, transferred to the 26th Foot. Dated 5th January, 1876.

Lieutenant Edwin Wynne Hughes resigns his Commission. Dated 5th January, 1876.

32nd Foot, Captain Edmund Lakin to be Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant, Royal Cornwall Rangers, Duke of



Cornwall's Own Militia. Dated 5th January, 1876.

34th Foot, Captain Henry Richard Treeve, from half-pay, late 28th Foot, to be Captain, vice L. Jordan, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant, Royal Cumberland Militia. Dated 5th January, 1876.

40th Foot, Lieutenant James Hayes Sadler receives the value of an Ensigncy on final transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 5th January, 1876.

42nd Foot, Lieutenant Andrew Gilbert Wauchope to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant R. C. Coveny, promoted. Dated 29th October, 1875.

46th Foot, Lieutenant Wolstan Francis, from the 15th Hussars, to be Lieutenant, vice H. E. C. Kitchener, promoted. Dated 5th January, 1876.

53rd Foot, Lieutenant Murray Dyne Messiter to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant A. G. Fife, transferred to the 5th Lancers. Dated 13th November, 1875.

The second Christian name of Lieutenant and Adjutant Mein is Coore, and not Coare, as hitherto stated.

56th Foot, Sub - Lieutenant Francis Edward Grainger is superseded for absence without leave. Dated 5th January, 1876.

58th Foot, Captain and Brevet Major William Henry Hingeston to be Major, vice T. C. Hinds, retired. Dated 18th December, 1875.

Lieutenant James Lewis Joseph Gordon to be Captain, vice Brevet Major W. H. Hingeston. Dated 18th December, 1875.

*60th Foot*, Major William F. Carleton retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 5th January, 1876.

Lieutenant Edward Obert Hindley Wilkinson to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant A. G. Bagot, retired. Dated 5th January, 1876.

*62nd Foot*, Captain Walter Andrew Corbett retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 5th January, 1876.

*65th Foot*, Lieutenant Henry Spencer Wheatley receives the value of an Ensigny on final transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 5th January, 1876.

*69th Foot*, Lieutenant - Colonel and Brevet Colonel George Bagot retires on half-pay. Dated 5th January, 1876.

Captain Wilmsdorf George Mansergh, from half-pay, late 107th Foot, to be Captain, vice P. M. French, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant, Royal Glamorgan Militia. Dated 5th January, 1876.

*71st Foot*, Sub-Lieutenant John Stormouth Taylor Farquhar to be Lieutenant. Dated 18th October, 1873.

*73rd Foot*, Lieutenant James Beardoe Doncaster to be Captain, vice J. T. Turner, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Deputy Assistant Adjutant General for Musketry. Dated 5th January, 1876.

Sergeant-Major Robert How to be Quartermaster, vice R. Smith, retired on half-pay. Dated 5th January, 1876.

*75th Foot*, Major Richard Wadeson, V.C., to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel Thomas Milles, retired on full-pay. Dated 18th December, 1875.

Captain Frederick F. Daniell to be Major, vice R. Wadeson, V.C. Dated 18th December, 1875.

76th Foot, Quartermaster James Edward Bell, from the 89th Foot, to be Quartermaster, vice James Archer, who exchanges. Dated 3rd November, 1875.

80th Foot, Captain David Barry Moriarty, from half-pay, late 6th Foot, to be Captain, vice F. B. N. Craufurd, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant, 1st Stafford Militia. Dated 5th January, 1876.

83rd Foot, Lieutenant Hastings Read, from the 107th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice J. H. Hardtman-Berkeley, who exchanges. Dated 5th January, 1876.

85th Foot, Lieutenant Charles Frederick Vice receives the value of an Ensigncy on final transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 5th January, 1876.

88th Foot, Major William Lambert to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel W. T. L. Patterson, retired on half-pay. Dated 18th December, 1875.

Captain and Brevet Major Edward Hopton to be Major, vice W. Lambert. Dated 18th December, 1875.

Lieutenant Edward Agincourt Brind to be Captain, vice Brevet Major E. Hopton. Dated 18th December, 1875.

89th Foot, Quartermaster James Archer, from 76th Foot, to be Quartermaster, vice J. E. Bell, who exchanges. Dated 3rd November, 1875.

94th Foot, Captain Richard Albert Vercoe Pope, from half-pay, late 49th Foot, to be Captain, vice C. French, made Supernumerary whilst

holding the appointment of Adjutant, Louth Militia. Dated 5th January, 1876.

*95th Foot*, Captain Bolton Waller Faulkner retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 5th January, 1876.

Captain Robert Lefroy, from half-pay, late 97th Foot, to be Captain, vice W. H. de Salis, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant, 1st Derby Militia. Dated 5th January, 1876.

*101st Foot*, Captain Montagu Hall to be Major, vice S. A. Hunter, retired on a pension. Dated 18th December, 1875.

Lieutenant William Prescod Holmes to be Captain, vice M. Hall. Dated 18th December, 1875.

*102nd Foot*, The surname of the Sub-Lieutenant appointed in the Gazette of 27th August, 1875, is Wainright, and not Wainwright, as therein stated.

*105th Foot*, Lieutenant Richard Lloyd Payne, from the 1st Royal Tower Hamlets Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice W. B. Stanton, transferred to the 17th Foot. Dated 5th January, 1876.

*106th Foot*, Lieutenant Robert Lloyd Edwards, from the 45th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice A. H. R. Ferguson, promoted half-pay Captain. Dated 5th January, 1876.

*107th Foot*, Lieutenant John Hart Hardtman-Berkeley, from the 83rd Foot, to be Lieutenant vice H. Read, who exchanges. Dated 5th January, 1876.

*Rifle Brigade*, Sub-Lieutenant Wyndham Paulet St. John-Mildmay, from the 31st Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant M.

FitzGerald, promoted. Dated 5th January, 1876.

*1st West India Regiment*, Lieutenant Thomas Martin Gerard Thackeray, from the 16th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice C. G. W. E. Edwardes, who exchanges. Dated 5th January, 1876.

*Unattached List*, Sub-Lieutenant Vincent Nicholas Robilliard resigns his Commission. Dated 5th January, 1876.

The first Christian name of Sub-Lieutenant Logan is Quentin, and not Quinton, as stated in the Gazette of 27th April, 1875.

*Medical Department*, Surgeon - Major Walter Leach retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 19th November, 1875.

Surgeon-Major Donald Macgillivray Davidson, M.D., retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 21st November, 1875.

Surgeon-Major Charles Henry Leet retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 28th November, 1875.

Surgeon-Major John Madden retires upon half-pay. Dated 9th December, 1875.

Surgeon Rosslewin Morgan, M.D., retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 19th November, 1875.

Surgeon Pierce George Power, M.D., retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 23rd November, 1875.

Surgeon Philip Patterson Lyons, M.B., retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 6th December, 1875.

Surgeon Alfred Lewis, M.D., retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 9th December, 1875.

Surgeon John Vicary Thatcher Malcolm, M.D., from half-pay, to be Surgeon, vice Edmund

Vallance, who has resigned his Commission.  
Dated 20th December, 1875.

*Veterinary Department*, Veterinary-Surgeon Frederick Fitzhugh Marshall, 14th Hussars, to be Veterinary-Surgeon of the First Class. Dated 5th January, 1876.

Veterinary - Surgeon George Agnatus Amos Oliver, Royal Artillery, to be Veterinary-Surgeon of the First Class. Dated 5th January, 1876.

### BREVET.

Surgeon-Major John Madden to have the honorary rank of Deputy Surgeon-General upon retiring on half-pay. Dated 9th December, 1875.

The temporary rank of Quartermaster in the Army while doing duty with a Brigade Depôt conferred upon Quartermaster William Weir, Royal Ayr and Wigtown Militia, in the Gazette of the 6th August, 1875, is cancelled.

Quartermaster Littellus B. Barr, Renfrew Militia, to have the temporary rank of Quartermaster in the Army while doing duty with a Brigade Depôt. Dated 5th January, 1876.

The undermentioned Officers having completed the qualifying service to be Colonels :—

Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick Roome, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 30th March, 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Smith Warden, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 9th August, 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander William Gordon, 61st Foot. Dated 12th December, 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Bruce Chichester, 81st Foot. Dated 24th December, 1875.

The undermentioned Officers of Her Majesty's

Indian Military Forces to be granted a step of honorary rank on retirement, as follows :—

*To be Major-Generals.*

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Alexander Kennedy Clark-Kennedy, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 5th January, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel James Price Clarkson, Bengal Infantry. Dated 5th January, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel John Wellwood Rutherford, Madras Infantry. Dated 5th January, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Edmund David Russell Ross, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 5th January, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Hugh Lindsay Christie, Madras Infantry. Dated 5th January, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Edward Bannerman Ramsay, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 5th January, 1876.

*To be Colonel.*

Lieutenant-Colonel G. H. Bassevi, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 5th January, 1876.

The undermentioned Warrant Officers to have the honorary rank of Captain—

Lieutenant and Deputy Commissary John Copeland, Bengal Establishment. Dated 20th October, 1874.

Lieutenant and Deputy Commissary Daniel Lissenberg, Madras Establishment. Dated 28th August, 1875.

MEMORANDUM.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to approve of the transfer of the following Officers



from the late Control Department. Dated 27th November, 1875 :—

## COMMISSARIAT AND TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

*To be Commissary-General.*

Controller James Scott Robertson, C.B.

*To be Deputy Commissaries-General.*

Deputy Controller—

Randolph Routh, C.B.

Edward Strickland, C.B.

Fitzjames Edward Watt.

James Bell Lundy.

Henry Moore.

Alexander Crowder Crookshank, C.B.

Robert Clement Major.

Arthur William Downes.

Charles Palmer.

Matthew Bell Irvine, C.B., C.M.G.\*

Charles Bagot Smith.

*To be Assistant Commissaries-General.*

Assistant-Controller—

Thomas Gem.

Samuel William Hall.

Arthur Fulford Adams.

Edward Morris.

Latham William Blacker.

Frederick George Swan.

James Long.

Henry John Brownrigg.

Augustus William Pigott.

Frederick Charles Eveleigh, C.B.

Charles Robert Shervinton.

Henry John Wilkinson.

Richard Calvert Healy.



Charles Foster.  
 Charles William Eichbaum.  
 Gregson Bridgett.  
 Charles Swain.  
 James William Murray.  
 John Mainwaring Lindsey.  
 Alexander Clerk.  
 Henry Clutterbuck Lewis.  
 Charles Davis O'Connor.\*  
 Robert Handley Dundee.\*  
 Croker<sup>2</sup> Lovell Baker Pennell.\*  
 Alfred Robert Thompson (on Seconded  
 List).  
 Francis Charles Blunt.\*

*To be Commissaries.*

Commissary—

Charles Barrett Knapp.  
 Edward Lindsay Ward.  
 Duncan Campbell Napier.  
 Robert Grey Donaldson Selby.  
 Alfred Ernest Petrie.  
 George Hutchison Phillips.  
 William Henry Newland.  
 Foster, Shortt.  
 John L'Estrange L. Buchanan.  
 George Whittaker Mellish.  
 Lynch John Keogh.  
 James Milne.  
 Edward William Henry Webb  
 Edward Charles Saunder.  
 John Fitzmaurice Manning.  
 Basil Charles Boothby.  
 Gilbert Howard Sanders.  
 Paul George Frederick Furse.  
 Charles Edward Wrench.  
 Thomas Butterworth Prissick.\*  
 Wellesley Gordon Walker Robinson.\*

Henry John Wild.\*  
 Robert Stanes.\*  
 Robert Edward Hunter.\*  
 Richard Stephenson Price.\*  
 John Macfarlane.\*  
 Ashley Cowper Ryland.\*  
 Henry William Hackman.\*  
 John Draper.\*  
 John Leslie Robertson.\*  
 John Henry Randall.\*  
 Robert Lee Matthews.\*  
 William Henry Ravenscroft.\*  
 Thomas Augustus Le Mesurier.\*  
 Henry Boucher Arthur Middleton.\*  
 Edwin Dunn.\*  
 Charles Walter Penrice.\*  
 Nathaniel Ronald-Taylor.\*  
 Joseph Frederick Wallet Des Barres.\*  
 David Robert Ross.\*

*To be Deputy Commissaries.*

Deputy Commissary—

George Home Telfer.  
 William Fryer.  
 John Tremenhare Johnston.  
 Alexander Williams Anderson.  
 John Thomson.  
 Jonathan William Elmes.  
 Henry Spencer Edward Reeves.  
 William Bridgman.  
 Cecil Francis Leach.  
 Francis Hugh Armstrong.  
 Francis Gordon Archer.  
 Robert Squarey.  
 Thomas Sadlier Brereton.  
 John Igglesden Troup.  
 Edward Thomas Price.  
 William John Jortin Warneford.

Basil Porter.  
 Clifford Elliot Walton.  
 Emilius Hughes.  
 Albert Meyer.  
 George John Parkyn.  
 William Thomas Evans.  
 Crofton James Uniacke.  
 Thomas Storrar Smith.  
 George Lyddon Morley.  
 Francis William Brathwaite Gattey.  
 William Beamish.  
 Sydney George Granville.  
 Neill Roger.  
 Edward Wilmot Williams.  
 Francis John Gilbert Cook.  
 Robert Stockham Bridges Leech.  
 Frederick Henry Bridgman.  
 Charles William Beverley McKenzie.  
 William H. Hawtayne.  
 William FitzJohn Le Poer Trench.  
 John Blurton.  
 F. FitzClarence Goddard.  
 Mark William Rooksby Rushton.  
 James Tierney Skinner.  
 Walter Henry Christie.  
 Frederick George Frith.†  
 George Frederick Coryton †  
 Frederick Bazett Doveton.†  
 George Beresford Deare.†  
 Charles Henry Toller.  
 John Smith Ravenhill.  
 Thomas Brown Stewart.†  
 James Alleyne Clarke.†  
 George Coates.†  
 Edward T. Christie.†  
 Voltaire White.  
 Oswald Frederick Beale.\*  
 Stephen Walter Rains.\*

Blair Abbott.\*  
 William Jones Birnie.\*  
 George Johnston.\*  
 Robert Cattley Baker.\*  
 Saunders Adamson.\*  
 John Kent Johnston.\*  
 James Alexander Scott.\*  
 William Macken.\*  
 John Devine.\*  
 Ruben Hill Powell.\*  
 Thomas Gerard Lockyer.\*  
 George Ramsey.\*  
 Charles Robert Crawford.\*  
 Walter Ernest Sax Battiscombe.\*  
 Walter Crawford Rees.\*  
 Robert Douglas Noake.\*  
 Walter Thomas Cowley Wilton.\*  
 Biddulph Lee Warner.\*  
 William R. Taylor.\*  
 Franklin Ludovic Berthon.\*  
 James Johnston \*  
 Frederick William Page.\*  
 John Smith Young.\*  
 Marlow Sidney John Woollett.\*  
 James Dungey.\*  
 William Baldock Edridge.

*To be Assistant-Commissaries.*

Assistant-Commissary—

William Robertson.  
 Joseph Forrest.  
 John Spencely.  
 Charles Frederick Flower Woods.  
 Charles Edward Bruce.  
 Edward Love.  
 John Gallagher.  
 John Power.  
 Job Smith.

John Williams.  
 John Loney.  
 Alexander William Acheson.  
 John Beaufin Irving.  
 Anthony Edward Parker.  
 Charles McGarry.  
 George Elliott.  
 Richard John Lewis.  
 William Henry Eliot.  
 George Drury.  
 William Gammell.  
 James Stephenson.  
 Walter W. Thelwall.  
 Henry N. Mitchell.  
 A. B. Allen.  
 Henry Chipp.  
 Joseph Lynas.  
 Patrick O'Leary.  
 Thomas Hibbert.  
 William Chambers.  
 Richard Croisdale.  
 Thomas Alderton.  
 Joseph Wood.  
 James Lees.  
 Charles Henry Santi.  
 Robert Alexander Chermside,  
 Edward Pilkington Elliott.  
 George Gunn Munro.  
 Wilbraham T. Whitehead.  
 Francis Walter Lundy.  
 Walter Thompson McLeod.  
 Edwin FitzStubbs.  
 John Smith.  
 Edward John Dolton.  
 Thomas Patrick Shannon.  
 Charles William Richard Mansergh.  
 Alfred George Sandham de Salis.  
 Francis Russell Gosset.

Charles John Bannister.  
 Horace Miles Benyon Beevor.  
 George Graves Bowring.  
 Theodore C. H. Macdonald.  
 George Wollaston Ottley.  
 Wodehouse Dillon Richardson.  
 Walter Bourne Brabazon.  
 Casimir Arthur Bourne.  
 Robert Arthur Nugent.  
 Ernest Langham Boughton Kevill-  
     Davies.  
 Alfred Ely.  
 Lewis Augustus Clutterbuck.  
 Frank Erastus Stevens.  
 David Scot Skirving.  
 Frederick Anthony Ritson.  
 Allan Harris Langdon.  
 Charles Henry Bridge.  
 Ernest Fryer.  
 John Francis Sargent.  
 John George Yule Wilson.  
 Alfred Aquila Baker  
 William Sandford Blenkinsop.  
 Malcolm Graham.  
 Arthur William Collard.  
 Marcus Edward Read Rain-ford.  
 Edmund Philip Bowden Smith.  
 James Roe.  
 William Moorsom Laurence.  
 William Francis Moore.  
 John William Brooke Parkin.  
 George Vaughan Hamilton.  
 Bernard Heygate.  
 William John Byrne Bampfield.  
 Thomas St. John Fagan.  
 Leigh Tracey.  
 Samuel Henry Winter.  
 Alfred George Hipwell.

Gerald George Challice.  
 William Robert Winter.  
 James Roch Edwards.  
 Walter Alphonsus Dunne.

*To be Sub-Assistant-Commissaries.*

Sub-Assistant-Commissary :

Joseph Whitley.  
 Geoffrey Stanley.  
 Edward Willis Duncan Ward.  
 Robert Brophy McComb.  
 Herbert Joseph Cousins.  
 William Henry Winspear.  
 Ernest Tilson Shaen Carter.  
 Lewis Anstruther Hope.  
 Edward Samuel McMurray.  
 Arthur Ashley.  
 William Dunne.  
 Knighton Arnold.  
 Masters John Godfrey.  
 John Samuel Nevell.  
 John Alexander Boyd.  
 Edgar Gaussen.  
 Henry Ambrose Lane Harvest.  
 John Nethersole.  
 Frederick Stephen Christian-Hare.  
 Henry Garde Rice.  
 Alfred George Bankart.  
 Edward Innes Pocock.  
 Thomas Claydon.  
 John Hunter.  
 Henry Thomas Hayles.

ORDNANCE STORE DEPARTMENT.

*To be Commissaries-General.*

Controller—

Henry William Gordon, C.B.  
 Henry Tatum, C.B.\*

*To be Deputy Commissaries-General.*

## Deputy-Controller—

William Loweriston Mackelcan Young.  
C.B.

William Lanyon Penno.

William Henry Parkyn.

Charles Ker Cleave.

## Assistant-Controller—

William Michael King.

*To be Assistant Commissaries-General.*

## Assistant-Controller—

Thomas Alfred Grimaldi Satchwell.

William Henry Horatio Scott.

Walter Chidiock Nangle.

Charles Mills Molony.

Joseph Thomas Barrington.

Joseph Osbertus Hamley, C.B.

George Gunn Munro.

John Isaac Lilley.

Alexander Dickson Burnaby.

Alfred Horatio Young.

George Ignatius Pirkis.

Henry Horatio Rathbone Hewitt.

David Gibbons.

Horatio Albert Russell.\*

*To be Commissaries.*

## Commissary—

Anthony Sutton Beswick.

James Moore.

William Frederick Wright.

Henry Fane Travers.

Newcome Richard Raven.

Mansel Octavius Miller.

Matthew John Tiernay Ingram.

Charles Hale Rumbold.



John Charles Angell.  
 Charles Ralph.  
 Robert Walsh.\*  
 Henry Blakeney.  
 Cuthbert William Elphinstone - Hollo-  
 way.

Deputy-Commissary—  
 Robert Mead.

*To be Deputy-Commissaries.*

Deputy-Commissary—  
 Gerald Edward March.  
 Henry Smith.  
 Samuel Ormsby Rogers.  
 William Peel.  
 Thomas Sparkes.  
 George Augustus Brunett.  
 George Comyn Murray.  
 Joseph Elliott.  
 Sydney Lancey Davies Smith.  
 William Bell Le Geyt.  
 Alfred Montanaro.  
 Francisco Candido Pereira Silveira.  
 William Grayson Boyes.  
 Augustus Hillier.  
 William Douglas Bennett.  
 Henry Taylor.  
 William Henry Chambers.  
 George Montresor Thorn.  
 Edwin Nicoll.  
 Edward Gatt.  
 Thales Pease.  
 George Edward Lane.  
 John Browne.  
 Thomas Joseph Rawnsley.  
 Joseph Henry Pearson.  
 William Sydney Haldane.  
 Dominick O'Loughlin MacDermott.

Walter Booth.  
 Thomas Griffin Stack.  
 Henry Payne Moors.  
 Patrick Joseph Connell Flynn.  
 John Roden Herapath.  
 Henry Morgan.  
 Robert Pearce Olpherts.  
 James Alfred Bristow.  
 James Cragg Kellman.  
 William Cleather Gordon.  
 George Arber.  
 John Charles Freeburn.  
 Herbert James Mills.\*  
 Francis Edward Thompson.\*  
 George Thornton Pett.\*  
 William Robert Mayo.\*  
 William Henry Howell.\*

Assistant-Commissary—

Robert Nicholls.\*  
 Frederick Pridham.\*  
 Henry Mainwaring Dunstan.\*  
 George Alfred Jolly.\*  
 John Edmund Taylor.\*

*To be Assistant-Commissaries.*

Augustus Bresson Calvert.  
 Charles E. Vansittart.  
 Charles S. Buchanan.  
 Lionel Frederick Graham.  
 Charles Day Durnford.  
 Colin G. L. Campbell.  
 H. Hammersley St. George.  
 Arthur Walter Bridgman.  
 Robert Finlay King.  
 Edmund Grey Skinner.  
 Thomas Hassall.  
 John James Donnelly.

Gilbert H. Stonhouse.  
 John Henry Rolt Triscott.  
 Richard Terrick Stainforth.  
 William Butterworth Cooke.  
 Henry Charles Suttleffe.  
 Robert Barrington Baker.  
 Frederick Octavius Leggett.  
 Fowell C. B. Richards.  
 Frederick William John Cole.  
 Edward John de Salis.  
 George Henry Everard.  
 George Robert Hunter.  
 Ernest Elliott Markwick.  
 William Horan.  
 Stephen Thornton Phillimore.  
 Richard Purdy Hunt.  
 Arthur Newton St. Quintin.  
 Frank Graham Wintle.  
 Ernest Houghton.  
 John Langford Wheeler.  
 Herbert Andrew David Hain.  
 Fraser Browne Melliss.  
 Robert Fulke Noel Clarke.  
 Josiah Jones.  
 Herbert Thornton Wyon.  
 Robert Scipio Marsh de Ricci.  
 Francis Havard Arnold.  
 Herbert George Fincham.  
 Thomas James Kernaghan.  
 Godfrey Octavius Warren.  
 Harry Penson Burt.  
 William Frederick Wright.  
 Charles William Henry Tate.  
 Edward Heath.  
 Charles Gilchrist Jeans.  
 Hugh Watson Bruno Bruno.  
 George Radley Hobbs.

*To be Sub-Assistant Commissaries.*

Sub-Assistant-Commissary—

John Steevens.

Charles Purehas.

Ernest Charles Wainwright.

George Robert Atkinson.

Charles Heinekin Ozanne.

Charles John Dromgoole.

James Stoneman.

Guthrie Hylton Jessop.

Augustin Fitzgerald Roland Creagh.

George Thomas Colebrook.

John Rogers.

Sydney Hume Lynn.

Robert Drake.

James Kennedy-Edwards.

Daniel Deeves.

William Graham.

James Charles Stanley.

N.B.—Officers after whose names an \* is placed are Supernumerary to the Establishment of their Rank, and are included in the numbers of the next lower rank.

Officers after whose names a † is placed are also Supernumerary as above stated, but they retain the pay and privileges of the Rank held by them under former Warrants, until they shall fall within the numbers fixed for the Establishment of the late Control Department.

FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE* of JANUARY 7,  
 1876.

*Foreign Office, January 4, 1876.*

NOTICE TO OWNERS AND MASTERS OF BRITISH  
 VESSELS ABOUT TO PROCEED TO THE NORTH  
 COAST OF SPAIN.

HER Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs hereby gives notice, that the reports received at the Foreign Office from Her Majesty's Minister at Madrid and Her Majesty's Consular Officers on the North Coast of Spain show that British vessels entering ports on the Cantabrian Coast are frequently exposed to danger from the fire of Carlist batteries which are established at many points on the coast.

The places pointed out as especially dangerous are Guetaria, San Sebastian, Pasages, and Motrico; but the whole Spanish Coast to the eastward of Bilbao should be avoided by British vessels, as Carlist batteries are stationed at intervals all along the coast and fire at anything that approaches.

The coast to the westward of Bilbao is reported safe, with the exception of a small portion between Somorrostro and Castro Urdiales, where occasionally Carlists are to be found.

*Foreign Office, September 3, 1875.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint William Henry Doveton Haggard, Esq., now a Third Secretary, to be a Second Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

(H. 65.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, January 4, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Constantinople, stating that all arrivals from Syria since the 21st ultimo will be subjected to a reduced quarantine of five days.

(H. 90.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, January 5, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Notice from Her Majesty's Consul at Smyrna to the effect that the quarantine in that port against vessels which have left the coast of Syria between Alexandretta and Jaffa, both inclusive, not earlier than the 21st ultimo, has been reduced to five full days of observation.

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*Admiralty, 6th January, 1876.*

Captain Nowell Salmon, C.B., has been appointed Naval Aide-de-Camp to Her Majesty, vice Dowell, promoted to Flag Rank. Dated 12th December, 1875.

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*War Office, Pall Mall,  
7th January, 1876.*

#### BRIGADE DEPOTS.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Dominic Jacotin Gamble, C.B., from half-pay, late 4th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 8th January, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel George Bagot, from half-pay, late 69th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 8th January, 1876.

### ORDNANCE STORE DEPARTMENT.

Deputy Commissary Henry Smith is placed upon retired pay, having attained the prescribed age. Dated 1st January, 1876.

#### *To be Sub-Assistant-Commissaries.*

Frederick Amelius Le Poer Trench, Gent. Dated 1st January, 1876.

Robert Vaughan Day, Gent. Dated 1st January, 1876.

Charles Albert Edes, Gent. Dated 1st January, 1876.

Alfred Sadler, Gent. Dated 1st January, 1876.

Thomas Heron, Gent. Dated 1st January, 1876.

Henry Walter Barrett, Gent. Dated 1st January, 1876.

William George Collingwood, Gent. Dated 1st January, 1876.

Francis Edward Mulcahy, Gent. Dated 1st January, 1876.

Edward Benjamin Appelbe, Gent. Dated 1st January, 1876.

Clement Henry Brereton, Gent. Dated 1st January, 1876.

Frederick George Edyvean, Gent. Dated 1st January, 1876.

FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE* of *JANUARY* 11,  
 1876.

*Whitehall, January 8, 1876.*

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, granting the dignities of an Earl and Duke of the said United Kingdom to Charles Henry, Duke of Richmond, K.G., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the names, styles, and titles of Earl of Kinrara, in the county of Inverness, and Duke of Gordon, of Gordon Castle, in that part of the said United Kingdom called Scotland.

The Queen has also been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the said Great Seal granting the dignities of an Earl and Marquess of the said United Kingdom to William, Earl of Abergavenny, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the names, styles, and titles of Earl of Lewes, in the county of Sussex, and Marquess of Abergavenny, in the county of Monmouth.

The Queen has also been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the said Great Seal granting the dignities of a Viscount and Earl of the said United Kingdom to Edward Montagu Stuart Granville, Lord Wharnccliffe, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the names, styles, and titles of Viscount Carlton, of Carlton, and Earl of Wharnccliffe, both in the West Riding of the county of York ; with remainder, in default of such issue male, to the Honourable Francis



Dudley Stuart-Wortley (brother of the said Edward Montagu Stuart Granville, Lord Wharncliffe), and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten.

The Queen has also been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the said Great Seal granting the dignity of a Baron of the said United Kingdom to John, Earl of Erne, in that part of the said United Kingdom called Ireland, K.P., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron Fermanagh, of Lisnaskea, in the county of Fermanagh.

The Queen has also been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the said Great Seal granting the dignity of a Baron of the said United Kingdom to John Ralph Ormsby-Gore, Esq., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron Harlech, of Harlech, in the county of Merioneth, with remainder, in default of such issue male, to William Richard Ormsby-Gore, Esq. (brother of the said John Ralph Ormsby-Gore), and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten.

The Queen has also been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the said Great Seal granting the dignity of a Baron of the said United Kingdom to Henry Gerard Sturt, Esq., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron Alington, of Crichel, in the county of Dorset.

The Queen has also been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the said Great Seal granting the dignity of a Baron of the said United Kingdom to John Tollemache, Esq., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron Tollemache, of Helmingham Hall, in the county of Suffolk.

The Queen has also been pleased to direct

Letters Patent to be passed under the said Great Seal granting the dignity of a Baron of the said United Kingdom to Sir Robert Tolver Gerard, Bart., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron Gerard, of Bryn, in the county palatine of Lancaster.

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*Foreign Office, January 6, 1876.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Robert Grant Watson, Esq., now Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Washington, to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Lisbon.

*Foreign Office, January 10, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Ludvig Schöner as Consul in Trinidad, to reside at Port of Spain, for His Majesty the King of Sweden and Norway.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Don Carlos Calvo as Consul-General in England for the Argentine Republic.

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*War Office, 11th January, 1876.*

MILITIA.

*Royal Anglesey.*

Hugh Butler Falkiner, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 12th January, 1876.

*Bedford.*

William Edward Douglass Crosbie, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 12th January, 1876.

*2nd Royal Cheshire.*

The notification which appeared in the Gazette of

the 15th October, 1875, to the effect that the services of Captain Joseph Harrison Evans were dispensed with, is cancelled.

Captain Joseph Harrison Evans resigns his Commission. Dated 16th October, 1875.

*Huntingdon.*

Captain Hillyard Henry Angus Cameron, 16th Foot, to be Adjutant. Dated 23rd December, 1875.

Adjutant Hillyard Henry Angus Cameron to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 23rd December, 1875.

*5th Royal Lancashire.*

Herbert Wason Major, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 12th January, 1876.

*Royal Lancashire Artillery.*

Captain Thomas Harvey Kearsley to be Major. Dated 12th January, 1876.

*Royal North Lincoln.*

Lieutenant Christopher Claypon Tunnard resigns his Commission. Dated 12th January, 1876.

*2nd Middlesex, or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment.*

Captain Anthony Sim resigns his Commission. Dated 12th January, 1876.

*Shropshire.*

Sub-Lieutenant Compton Herbert Croxton resigns his Commission. Dated 12th January, 1876.

*West Suffolk.*

Captain Montague Charles Browning to be Major. Dated 12th January, 1876.

Clement John Malcolm Heigham, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 12th January, 1876.  
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*2nd Royal Surrey.*

The services of Lieutenant Henry Florance Ward are dispensed with. Dated 12th January 1876.

*The Queen's Own Royal Tower Hamlets.*

Major George Shirley Maxwell is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 12th January, 1876.

*Royal Westmoreland.*

Captain John Olphert Gage, 34th Foot, to be Adjutant. Dated 23rd December, 1875.

Adjutant John Olphert Gage to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 23rd December, 1875.

*Worcester.*

Edward Leonard Aspinall Heygate, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 12th January, 1876.

*East York.*

Marshall Cowper Burton, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 12th January, 1876.

*Royal Ayr and Wigtown.*

Robert John Bartholomew, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 12th January, 1876.

*Royal Perth.*

Lieutenant George Crosbie Wylie to be Captain. Dated 12th January, 1876.

*South Cork.*

Captain and Adjutant Henry Lucas resigns his Commission, and is placed on a retired allowance. Dated 31st December, 1875.

*Royal North Down.*

Quartermaster James Menzies resigns his Commission and is placed on a retired allowance,

also is granted the honorary rank of Captain, and permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 12th January, 1876.

*Royal South Down.*

Captain and Adjutant James Balcombe resigns his Commission, and is placed on a retired allowance. Dated 31st December, 1875.

James Balcombe, Esq., late Captain and Adjutant, to be Major (Supernumerary). Dated 31st December, 1875.

*Royal Dublin City.*

Captain William Henry Brind, 103rd Foot, to be Adjutant. Dated 1st January, 1876.

Adjutant William Henry Brind to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 1st January, 1876.

*Londonderry.*

Lieutenant Edmond Smith Lecky to be Captain. Dated 12th January, 1876.

*North Mayo.*

Captain and Adjutant George Cox, 87th Foot, from the 1st Administrative Battalion Elgin Rifle Volunteers, to be Adjutant. Dated 12th January, 1876.

Adjutant George Cox to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 12th January, 1876.

*Roscommon.*

Sub-Lieutenant George Edmund Staveley, from the 1st Devon Militia, to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 12th January, 1876.

*Mid-Ulster Artillery.*

Acheson Whitmore St. George, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 12th January, 1876.

*Westmeath.*

Herbert Stewart McCance Stanuell, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 12th January, 1876.

## YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

*Oxfordshire.*

Percy Robert Brewis, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 12th January, 1876.

*West Somerset.*

Vaughan Hanning Vaughan-Lee, Esq., late Major, Royal Glamorgan Militia, to be Captain, vice A. A. Wilkie, resigned. Dated 12th January, 1876.



*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Hereford.*

The Honourable Humphrey De Bohun Devereux to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 6th January, 1876.

Sir Edward Cludde Coekburn, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 6th January, 1876.

Edwyn Francis Seudamore Stanhope, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 6th January, 1876.

Robert Henry De Winton, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 6th January, 1876.

Robert William Dacre Harley, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 6th January, 1876.

Edward Howarth Greenly, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 6th January, 1876.

Edward Seudamore Lucas, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 6th January, 1876.

Major Arbuthnot to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 6th January, 1876.

Thomas Cam, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

Dated 6th January, 1876.

Grenville Hampden, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 6th January, 1876.

Stephen Robinson, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

Dated 6th January, 1876.

Joseph Pulley, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

Dated 6th January, 1876.

Edward Bickerton Evans, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 6th January, 1876.

Edward Vincent Wheeler, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 6th January, 1876.

George Moffatt, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

Dated 6th January, 1876.

Charles Archibald Hewitt, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 6th January, 1876.

Henry Higgins, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

Dated 6th January, 1876.

James Edward Norris, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 6th January, 1876.

John Bowle Evans, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 6th January, 1876.

John Morris, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

Dated 6th January, 1876.

John Michael Browne, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 6th January, 1876.

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FROM THE

*LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 14,*  
1876.

*Downing Street, January 12, 1876.*

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Reverend Reginald Stephen Copleston, D.D., to be Bishop of the See of Colombo.



*Downing Street, January 13, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Cyril Clerke Graham, Esq., to be Lieutenant-Governor of the Island of Grenada.

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*Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall,  
January 13, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Madrid, reporting that a Circular has been addressed by the Spanish Director-General of Customs to the Superintendents of Custom-houses, stating that acetate of morphine, being an organic salt used exclusively for medicinal purposes, will henceforth pay the duty prescribed by section 94 of the Customs' Tariff, viz. : —20 per cent. ad valorem.

(H. 262.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, January 14, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Notice issued by the authorities at Athens, stating that the quarantine on all arrivals from Syria has been reduced to five days of observation.

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*Admiralty, 12th January, 1876.*

The retirement of Fleet Surgeon William Fasken, M.D., as notified in the London Gazette of the 24th December last, has been cancelled, and he has been placed on the Retired List under Her Majesty's Orders in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, and 4th February, 1875,



from the 13th May last, and he has been allowed to assume from that date the rank of Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets.

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*War Office, Pall Mall,*  
14th January, 1876.

*Royal Regiment of Artillery*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Archibald Edward Harbord Anson, upon the Seconded List, to be Colonel upon the Seconded List. Dated 23rd December, 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Samuel Enderby Gordon, C.B., to be Colonel, vice E. Price, C.B., removed as a General Officer. Dated 23rd December, 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel the Honourable Edward Thomas Gage, C.B., to be Colonel, vice M. B. Forde, who retires upon full-pay. Dated 15th January, 1876.

Major William Lambert Yonge to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel Gordon, C.B., promoted. Dated 23rd December, 1875.

Major Charles Booth Brackenbury, upon the Supernumerary List, to be Lieutenant-Colonel upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 15th January, 1876.

Major Edwin Markham to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel Gage, C.B., promoted. Dated 15th January, 1876.

Captain George Sheppard Harvey to be Major, vice Yonge, promoted. Dated 1st January, 1876.

Captain Samuel Cotter Kyle to be Major, vice E. Markham, promoted. Dated 15th January, 1876.

Lieutenant Francis Lowry Graves to be Captain, vice G. S. Harvey, promoted. Dated 1st January, 1876.

Lieutenant Gilbert Sidney Parry to be Captain, vice S. C. Kyle, promoted. Dated 15th January, 1876.

Lieutenant Francis William J. Barker to be Captain, vice D. F. Huyshe (late Bengal), placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 15th January, 1876.

Lieutenant Charles A. Empson to be Captain, vice H. T. T. Sandes, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 15th January, 1876.

Lieutenant William Frederick de H. Curtis to be Captain, vice C. E. Souper, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 15th January, 1876.

In consequence of the death upon the 22nd December, 1875, of Major-General A. Benn, the promotion of the undermentioned Officers to be antedated to the 23rd December, 1875, viz.:—

Major E. R. Cottingham,  
Captain W. S. Langley.

### BREVET.

Colonel Matthew Bligh Forde, retired full-pay, Royal Artillery, to have the honorary rank of Major-General. Dated 15th January, 1876.

The following promotions to take place consequent upon the death of Major-General Anthony Benn, Royal Artillery, viz.:—

Colonel Edward Price, C.B., Royal Artillery, to be Major-General, dated 28th June, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to the 23rd December, 1875.

Major Edward Thomas Shiffner, 54th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 23rd December, 1875.

Captain George Nicholson Pepper, 31st Foot, to be Major. Dated 23rd December, 1875.

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*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Norfolk and of the City and County of the City of Norwich.*

Sir William Hovell Browne ffolkes, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 10th January, 1876.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Lanark.*

The Honourable James Bain, Lord Provost of Glasgow, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 11th January, 1876.

William Wallace Hozier, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 11th January, 1876.

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*Admiralty Registry, January 13, 1876.*

The Judge of the Admiralty Division of the High Court of Justice, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby gives notice that the temporary office of Door Keeper and Coal Porter at the Admiralty Registry is added to Schedule B of the Order in Council of the 4th June, 1870.

FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 18,*  
1876.

*Downing Street, January 15, 1876.*

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint John Pope Hennessy, Esq., C.M.G., to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Islands of Barbados, Grenada, St. Vincent, Tobago, and St. Lucia, and their Dependencies.

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*Whitehall, January 15, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting unto Admiral Sir Michael Seymour, G.C.B., the office or place of Vice-Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and Lieutenant of the Admiralty thereof, in the room of Admiral Sir Provo William Parry Wallis, G.C.B., now an Admiral of the Fleet.

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*Foreign Office, December 17, 1875.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint William Nelthorpe Beauclerk, Esq., now Attaché to Her Majesty's Legation at Copenhagen, to be a Third Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

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*St. James's Palace, January 1, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to promote Major William O'Bryen Taylor, Clerk of the Cheque

and Adjutant to Her Majesty's Honourable Corps of Gentlemen-at-Arms, to be Standard Bearer in the same Corps, vice Lieutenant-Colonel William McCall, deceased.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant-Colonel Gustavus Hume, one of Her Majesty's Honourable Corps of Gentlemen-at-Arms, to be Clerk of the Cheque and Adjutant in the same Corps, vice Major William O'Bryen Taylor, promoted.

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By virtue of an Act passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His Majesty King George III, intituled "An Act to repeal so much of two Acts made in the tenth and fifteenth years of the reign of His present Majesty, as authorizes the Speaker of the House of Commons to issue his Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown for making out writs for the election of Members to serve in Parliament, in the manner therein mentioned, and for substituting other provisions for the like purposes ;" and of an Act passed in the twenty-sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to further limit and define the time for proceeding to Election during the Recess."

I do hereby give notice, that it hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament, that John Ralph Ormsby-Gore, Esq., late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the Northern Division of the county of Salop, is become a Peer of the United Kingdom, and that a writ of Summons hath been issued to him under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom to summon him to Parliament, and that I shall issue my

Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said Division of the said county, at the end of six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this seventeenth day of January, 1876.

H. BRAND, Speaker.

By virtue of an Act passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His Majesty King George III, intituled "An Act to repeal so much of two Acts made in the tenth and fifteenth years of the reign of His present Majesty, as authorizes the Speaker of the House of Commons to issue his Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown for making out writs for the election of Members to serve in Parliament, in the manner therein mentioned, and for substituting other provisions for the like purposes ;" and of an Act passed in the twenty-sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to further limit and define the time for proceeding to Election during the Recess."

I do hereby give notice, that it hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament, that Henry Gerard Sturt, Esq., late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the county of Dorset, is become a Peer of the United Kingdom, and that a writ of Summons hath been issued to him under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom to summon him to Parliament, and that I shall issue my Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for said county, at the end of six days

after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this seventeenth day of January, 1876.

H. BRAND, Speaker.

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(H. 320.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, January 15, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Telegram from Her Majesty's Minister at Constantinople, stating that all arrivals from Syria will be admitted to free pratique.

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*Admiralty, 17th January, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Surgeon Robert Atkinson has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 14th instant.

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*War Office, Pall Mall,  
18th January, 1876.*

*1st Regiment of Life Guards*, Lieutenant John S. Southwood to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant T. Cox, retired on half-pay. Dated 12th August, 1874.

*2nd Dragoon Guards*, Captain Benjamin Edmonds, from half-pay, late 2nd Dragoon Guards, to be Captain, vice F. Greatorex, retired on temporary half-pay. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*5th Lancers*, Captain Richard St. Leger Moore, from the 12th Lancers to be Captain, vice



G. R. R. Poole, who exchanges. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*8th Hussars*, Sub - Lieutenant David Edward Wood, from the 57th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant E. R. Maudslay, transferred to the 16th Lancers. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*12th Lancers*, Captain Gabriel Roland Ruscombe Poole, from the 5th Lancers, to be Captain, vice R. St. Leger Moore, who exchanges. Dated 19th January, 1876.

Lieutenant Frederick William Benson, from the 21st Hussars, to be Lieutenant, vice R. H. Ellis, who exchanges. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*21st Hussars*, Lieutenant Robert Hawkes Ellis, from the 12th Lancers, to be Lieutenant, vice F. W. Benson, who exchanges. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*Grenadier Guards*, Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Osborne Gould retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*Coldstream Guards*, Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel Vesey, Lord Cremorne retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*Brigade Dépôt*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel William Wilby, C.B., from half-pay, late Brigade Dépôt, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*1st Foot*, Major W. George Brown retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*3rd Foot*, Lieutenant Julius Batt Backhouse to



be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant T. E. K. Addison, deceased. Dated 3rd December, 1875.

*5th Foot*, Captain Henry Evelyn Woodville Preston, from the 23rd Foot, to be Captain, vice G. A. Agnew, transferred to the 30th Foot. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*9th Foot*, Major Henry Marcus Beresford retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*13th Foot*, Lieutenant Richard Lloyd Payne, from the 105th Foot. to be Lieutenant, vice W. H. Evans, promoted. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*16th Foot*, Lieutenant Edmund Hill Wickham to be Captain, vice A. J. Darby, retired. Dated 5th January, 1876.

*17th Foot*, The second Christian name of Captain C. E. G. Burr is Ernest, and not Earnest, as hitherto stated.

*For* Lieutenant William Barrow Stanton, from the 105th Foot, to be Lieutenant, &c., as announced in the Gazette of the 4th January, *Read*, Lieutenant William Barron-Stanton, &c.

*20th Foot*, Lieutenant Thomas Edward Bland, from the 97th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice R. Dennis, retired. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*23rd Foot*, Captain Alexander Frederick Stewart, from half-pay, late 36th Foot, to be Captain, vice H. E. W. Preston, transferred to the 5th Foot. Dated 19th January, 1876.

Captain James Hardie Fraser, from half-pay, late 67th Foot, to be Captain, vice R. F. Williamson, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant, Royal Denbigh Militia. Dated 19th January, 1876.

Captain Arthur Taylor, from half-pay, late 25th Foot, to be Captain, vice J. H. Walwyn, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant, Royal Flint Militia. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*25th Foot*, Captain Cecil Percival Stone, from half-pay, late 77th Foot, to be Captain, vice J. T. Coke, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant, 2nd West York Militia. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*26th Foot*, Lieutenant George Winter resigns his appointment as Adjutant. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*30th Foot*, Captain Gerald Andrew Agnew, from the 5th Foot, to be Captain, vice J. E. C. C. Lindesay, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant, 5th Royal Lancashire Militia. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*46th Foot*, Lieutenant Henry Thomas Warde Allatt to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant C. E. de la P. Beresford, who has resigned that appointment. Dated 21st September, 1875.

*59th Foot*, Lieutenant Henry Anderson Wilson retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*60th Foot*, Captain George Charles Kelly to be Major, vice W. F. Carleton, retired. Dated 5th January, 1876.

Lieutenant the Honourable Cecil Ralph Howard to be Captain, vice Kelly. Dated 5th January, 1876.

Sergeant-Major William Dixon to be Quartermaster, vice John Toole, deceased. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*61st Foot*, Captain Alexander Plunket Van Homrigh, from half-pay, late 36th Foot, to be

Captain, vice E. W. Rumsey, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant, Royal South Gloucester Militia. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*62nd Foot*, Lieutenant Thomas Duncan William Dunn to be Captain, vice W. A. Corbett, retired. Dated 5th January, 1876.

Captain J. Kyle, from half-pay, late 12th Foot, to be Captain, vice T. H. Forsyth, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant, Royal Wilts Militia. Dated 19th January, 1876.

Lieutenant James Henry Bowhill to be Adjutant, vice Thomas Duncan William Dunn, who resigns that appointment. Dated 24th November, 1875.

*67th Foot*, Paymaster and Honorary Captain Alexander Sidney G. Jauncey, from the 19th Foot, to be Paymaster. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*69th Foot*, Major James Smyth to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel G. Bagot, retired upon half-pay. Dated 5th January, 1876.

Captain and Brevet Major Richard FitzGerald to be Major, vice Smyth. Dated 5th January, 1876.

*71st Foot*, Lieutenant Reginald Corbett Singleton to be Captain, vice Brevet Major H. H. St. Leger, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant, Hertford Militia, Dated 22nd November, 1875.

*75th Foot*, Lieutenant Temple Leighton Phipson to be Captain, vice F. F. Daniell, promoted. Dated 18th December, 1875.

*83rd Foot*, Lieutenant Folliott Stuart Furneaux Stokes to be Adjutant, vice J. H. Hardtman-1876.

Berkeley, who has resigned that appointment.  
Dated 22nd November, 1875.

*85th Foot*, The undermentioned officers retired from the Service, receiving the value of their Commissions :—

Captain Gilbert Joshua Speneer Smith. Dated 19th January, 1876.

Lieutenant Charles Francis Dixon Whish. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*87th Foot*, Captain James George Anderson, from half-pay, late 64th Foot, to be Captain, vice G. Phibbs, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant, Sligo Militia. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*89th Foot*, Lieutenant Christopher Neeld Jones who has ceased to be a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps, from the Supernumerary List, to be Lieutenant, vice Ormsby Cox, deceased. Dated 10th December, 1875.

*91st Foot*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel John Sprot retires upon half-pay. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*95th Foot*, Lieutenant Henry Bevan to be Captain, vice B. W. Faulkner, retired. Dated 5th January, 1876.

*96th Foot*, Captain Thomas Arthur Mills, from half-pay, late 1st Foot, to be Captain, vice F. J. Josselyn, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant, Bedford Militia. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*97th Foot*, Lieutenant Herbert Edwards Irwin, from the Donegal Light Infantry Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice T. E. Bland, transferred to the 20th Foot. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*101st Foot*, Major Henry Le Champion retires upon half-pay. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*105th Foot*, For Lieutenant William Barrow Stanton, to be Lieutenant, &c., as announced in the Gazette of 19th November, 1875,

*Read* Lieutenant William Barron-Stanton, &c.

*108th Foot*, Captain John Charles Thompson, from half-pay, late 25th Foot, to be Captain, vice J. H. Shaw, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant, Fermanagh Militia. Dated 19th January, 1876.

Sub-Lieutenant Samuel Moores to be Lieutenant. Dated 31st October, 1874.

Lieutenant Samuel Moores to be Adjutant. Dated 25th December, 1874.

*Rifle Brigade*, Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Christopher Rice H. Nicholl to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Godfrey Clerk, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Military Secretary to the Commander-in-Chief, Madras. Dated 19th January, 1876.

Paymaster and Honorary Major George Roberts Noseley retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*1st West India Regiment*, Captain Nicholas Mourant Brock, from half-pay, late 4th West India Regiment, to be Captain, vice C. O'Callaghan, retired on temporary half-pay. Dated 19th January, 1876.

Captain Henry William Pollard, from half-pay, late 2nd West India Regiment, to be Captain, vice W. B. Drinan, transferred to the 9th Foot. Dated 19th January, 1876.

George Boodrie O'Donnell, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice J. M. S. Turner, deceased. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*Medical Department*, The restoration to full-pay of Surgeon-Major James Leitch, M.D., which

appeared in the Gazette of 12th November, 1875, is cancelled.

Surgeon Henry Lamb to be Surgeon-Major, vice Robert McNab, M.D., retired on half-pay. Dated 3rd November, 1875.

Surgeon Jeremiah James O'Grady is placed upon temporary half-pay. Dated 17th December, 1875.

Surgeon Oswald Gillespie Wood, M.D., retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 21st December, 1875.

*Chaplains' Department*, Chaplain of the Third Class the Reverend J. Arden Bayley, B.A., to be Chaplain of the Second Class. Dated 1st January, 1876.

*Retired Full-Pay*, Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Edward Hillman Burnside, half-pay, late 88th Foot, retires upon full-pay. Dated 19th January, 1876.

### BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Edward Hillman Burnside, retired upon full-pay, 88th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 19th January, 1876.

Surgeon-Major James Leitch, M.D., retired upon half-pay, to have the honorary rank of Deputy Surgeon-General. Dated 19th January, 1876.

The undermentioned Officers, having completed the qualifying service, to be Colonels :—

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel George R. Westmacott, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 25th July, 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel Richard Henry Travers, 48th Foot. Dated 12th November, 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Alexander Boswell Gordon, 60th Foot. Dated 13th January, 1876.

The following promotions to take place consequent on the death, on 10th December, 1875, of Lieutenant-General Sir Henry William Stisted, K.C.B., Colonel of the 92nd Foot :—

Major-General Henry Frederick Dunsford, C.B., Bengal Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 11th December, 1875.

Brevet Colonel Robert W. Macleod Fraser, from Lieutenant-Colonel, Brigade Dépôt, to be Major-General. Dated 28th June, 1868, such ante-date not to carry back pay prior to 11th December, 1875.

Major Archibald Wybergh, half-pay. late 63rd Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 11th December, 1875.

Captain Montagu M'Pherson Baitye, 10th Foot, to be Major. Dated 11th December, 1875.

The undermentioned promotions to take place in Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces consequent on the death of General Alexander Dick, Bengal Infantry, on 25th November, 1875 :—

Lieutenant-General Walter Nugent Thomas Smee, Bombay Infantry, to be General. Dated 26th November, 1875.

Colonel William Vine, Madras Cavalry, to be Major-General in the East Indies. Dated 26th November, 1875.

#### MEMORANDA.

Honorary Major G. H. Shuttleworth, Paymaster for Army Services, retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 19th January, 1876.

Deputy Commissary Henry Sedley Rice Bagenal, of the late Control Department, is permitted to commute his retired pay. Dated 28th December, 1875.



Assistant-Surgeon Arthur Herbert Orpen, half-pay, is permitted to commute his retired allowance. Dated 22nd December, 1875.

Chaplain of the First Class the Reverend Henry Edward Maskew, M.A., is permitted to commute his half-pay. Dated 24th December, 1875.

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*War Office, 18th January, 1876.*

### MILITIA.

#### *1st Derby.*

Robert Curzon Newton, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 19th January, 1876.

#### *1st Devon.*

Sub-Lieutenant John James Thomson, from the 2nd Royal Lanark Militia, to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 19th January, 1876.

#### *Royal Glamorgan.*

Sub-Lieutenant Gerald Campbell Dicker to be Lieutenant. Dated 11th July, 1874.

#### *Huntingdon.*

Ernest Maxwell-Willshire, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 19th January, 1876.

#### *3rd Middlesex or Royal Westminster.*

Captain Samuel John Unwin to be Major. Dated 19th January, 1876.

#### *2nd Somerset.*

Lieutenant William Noirmont Conyers D'Arcy, from the Royal Elthorne or 5th Middlesex Militia, to be Captain. Dated 19th January, 1876.



*3rd (King's Own) Stafford.*

Charles Herbert de Kutzleben Walhouse, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 19th January, 1876.

Edward Greenhill Amphlett, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 19th January, 1876.

*Royal Sussex.*

Sub-Lieutenant George Harry McCarogher Orr Whieldon to be Lieutenant. Dated 31st December, 1873.

*1st Warwick.*

Captain William Thornhill Blois, 6th Foot, to be Adjutant. Dated 5th January, 1876.

Adjutant William Thornhill Blois to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 5th January, 1876.

*2nd Warwick.*

Captain and Adjutant Rice Davies Knight resigns his Commission, and is placed on a retired allowance. Dated 31st December, 1875.

Rice Davies Knight, Esq., late Captain and Adjutant, to be Major (Supernumerary). Dated 31st December, 1875.

*2nd West York.*

The services of Lieutenant Currer Richardson Roundell are dispensed with. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*3rd West York.*

Humphrey Brooke Firman, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*Fife Artillery.*

James Cheape, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 19th January, 1876.

*2nd Royal Lanark.*

Lieutenant Michael William Albert Thomson Carmichael to be Captain. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*Royal North Down.*

Archibald FitzGerald Law, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*Kildare.*

Captain Arthur Hill Sandys Montgomery, Rifle Brigade, to be Adjutant. Dated 6th January, 1876.

Adjutant Arthur Hill Sandys Montgomery to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 6th January, 1876.

*Londonderry.*

Captain William Pott, 27th Foot, to be Adjutant. Dated 8th January, 1876.

Adjutant William Pott to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 8th January, 1876.

*Monaghan.*

Paymaster Robert Thomson resigns his Commission, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*Westmeath.*

Captain John Edward Harden, 109th Foot, to be Adjutant. Dated 8th January, 1876.

Adjutant John Edward Harden to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 8th January, 1876.

## YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

*Gloucestershire.*

Hugh Darby Annesley Owen, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 19th January, 1876.

*Hampshire.*

Lieutenant George Waterhouse to be Captain,  
vice A. Barton, resigned. Dated 19th Jan-  
uary, 1876.

*Nottinghamshire (Southern Nottinghamshire).*

George Fellows, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant.  
Dated 19th January, 1876.

*Worcestershire.*

John Skipworth Gibbons, Gent., to be Sub-Lieu-  
tenant. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the  
County of Anglesey.*

Richard Davies, Esq., M.P., to be Deputy Lieu-  
tenant. Dated 13th January, 1876.

Major-General Robert George Hughes to be  
Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 13th January,  
1876.

Thomas Lewis Hampton-Lewis, Esq., to be  
Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 13th January,  
1876.

William Massey, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.  
Dated 13th January, 1876.

Captain William Hugh Thomas to be Deputy  
Lieutenant. Dated 13th January, 1876.

Commander Edmund Hope Verney, R.N., to be  
Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 13th January,  
1876.

FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE* of JANUARY 21,  
 1876.

*Foreign Office, January 19, 1876.*

DECLARATION between Great Britain and Spain  
 for the Protection of Trade Marks.

*Signed at London, December 14, 1875.*

'THE Government of Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and the Government of His Majesty the King of Spain, with a view to the reciprocal protection of the marks of manufacture and trade in the two countries, have agreed as follows :—

The subjects of each of the Contracting Parties shall have in the dominions and possessions of the other, the same rights as belong to native subjects in everything relating to property in manufacturing or trade marks, industrial designs or patterns, or manufactures of any kind.

It is understood that any person who desires to obtain the aforesaid protection must fulfil the formalities required by the laws of the respective countries.

In witness whereof the undersigned have signed the present Declaration, and have affixed thereto the seal of their arms.

Done at London, the fourteenth day of December, 1875.

(L.S.)

DERBY.

(L.S.)

MARQUES DE CASA  
 LAIGLESIA.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, January 21, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Reverend Francis James Holland, M.A., Minister of Quebec Chapel, Marylebone, and Honorary Chaplain to Her Majesty, to be one of the Chaplains in Ordinary to Her Majesty.

The Queen has also been pleased to appoint the Reverend William Barker, M.A., Vicar of St. Mary's, West Cowes, Isle of Wight, to be one of the Honorary Chaplains to Her Majesty.

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*Whitehall, January 7, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto John Francis Williams, of Henwick Grange, in the parish of Hallow, in the county of Worcester, Gentleman, second son of Francis Edward Williams, of Malvern Hall, in the parish of Solihul, in the county of Warwick, and of Doddenham, in the county of Worcester, Esquire, by Ann, his late wife, youngest daughter and coheir of Henry Wigley, afterwards Henry Greswolde, of the city of Worcester and Malvern Hall aforesaid, Esquire, and sister of Mary Greswolde, of Malvern Hall aforesaid, Spinster, deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that he may, in compliance with a condition contained in the last will and testament of Mary Greswolde, his aunt, deceased, henceforth take and use the surname of Greswolde, in addition to and before his present surname of Williams :

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms, otherwise to be void and of none effect.

*Admiralty, 18th January, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Navigating Lieutenant Henry William Burnett has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 3rd instant.

James Gibson Thomson Forbes, Esq., has been authorised to assume the rank of Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets in Her Majesty's Fleet from the 8th November, 1875, the date on which he was placed on the Retired List.

*Admiralty, 19th January, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Commander Archibald Campbell Stewart Blackett has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank.

*Admiralty, 20th January, 1876.**Royal Marines.*

The undermentioned promotions have taken place on the fixed list of General Officers, Royal Marine Light Infantry, consequent on the retirement, on the 22nd December, 1875, of General Sir Anthony Blaxland Stransham; K.C.B., under the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870 :—

Lieutenant-General John Hawkins Gascoigne, C.B., to be General, vice Stransham, retired. Dated 22nd December, 1875.

Major-General William Robert Maxwell to be Lieutenant-General, vice Gascoigne. Dated 22nd December, 1875.

Reserved Colonel-Commandant William Grigor Suther, C.B., to be Major-General, vice Maxwell. Dated 28th June, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 22nd December, 1875.

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*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the West Riding of the County of York, and of the City and County of the City of York.*

Marmaduke D'Arcy Wyvill, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 3rd January, 1876.

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FROM THE  
**LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 25,**  
 1876.

*Foreign Office, January 22, 1876.*

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Jacquemin as Consul at St. John's, Newfoundland, for the French Republic.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Juan M. Forbes as Consul in Hongkong for the Republic of Chile.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. John James Graham Lewis as Consul in Jamaica for the Republic of Salvador.

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*Downing Street, January 22, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Ormond Drimmie Malcolm, Esq., to be one of Her Majesty's Counsel for the Bahama Islands.

*Admiralty, 21st January, 1876.*

The Reverend Samuel Allen Shone, B.A., and the Reverend Robert O'Donelan Ross-Lewin, M.A., have this day been appointed Chaplains in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 20th January, 1876.

*Admiralty, 25th January, 1876.*

The following promotions have been this day made :—

Lieutenants :

Henry Ralph Berners,  
John Eliot Pringle,  
Walter Bogue Bridges,  
to be Commanders in Her Majesty's Fleet.

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*War Office, Pall Mall,  
25th January, 1876.*

#### BRIGADE DEPOT.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel William Freeland Brett, from half-pay, late 61st Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel - Dated 26th January, 1876.

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*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the  
County of Stafford.*

Samuel Charles Allsopp, Esq., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 18th January, 1876.

Colonel Francis Chambers to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 18th January, 1876.

Richard Holt Briscoe, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 18th January, 1876.



*Treasury Chambers, January 21, 1876.*

THE Local Government Board, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby give notice that the following employment in the service of that Board is added to Schedule B of the Order in Council of the 4th June, 1870, viz. :—

The employment of Firelighter.

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FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 28,*  
1876.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,*  
*January 27, 1876.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be closed on and after Wednesday, the 2nd February, until further orders.

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*Downing Street, January 27, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Andries Stockenstrom, Esq., to be Judge of the Land Court of the Province of Griqua Land West.

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*Whitehall, January 18, 1876.*

The Queen, taking into Her Royal consideration, that upon the decease of Richard Pigot, Viscount Molesworth, in that part of the United Kingdom called Ireland, unmarried, on the 20th

day of June last, the title and dignity of Viscount Molesworth devolved upon his nephew and heir male, Samuel Molesworth, Clerk, now Viscount Molesworth, as the only surviving son and heir of John Molesworth, Esquire, Captain in the Royal Navy, deceased, who at the time of his death was the next surviving brother of the said Richard Pigot, Viscount Molesworth, and that according to the ordinary rules of honour the sisters of the said Samuel, Viscount Molesworth, cannot enjoy that place and precedence which would have been due to them had their father, the said John Molesworth, survived his said elder brother, Richard Pigot, Viscount Molesworth, and had thereby succeeded to the title and dignity of Viscount Molesworth, Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to ordain and declare that Margaret Letitia, wife of Charles Richard de Havilland, Clerk, Master of Arts, and Mary Louisa Molesworth, Spinster, the sisters of the said Samuel, now Viscount Molesworth, shall henceforth have, hold, and enjoy the same title, place, pre-eminence, and precedence as if their late father, the said John Molesworth, had survived his brother, the said Richard Pigot, Viscount Molesworth, and had thereby succeeded to the dignity of Viscount Molesworth :

And to command that the said Royal order and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

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By virtue of an Act passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His Majesty, King George III, intituled "An Act to repeal so much of two Acts, made in the tenth and fifteenth years of the reign of His present Majesty, as authorizes the Speaker of the

“ House of Commons to issue his Warrant to  
 “ the Clerk of the Crown for making out writs  
 “ for the election of Members to serve in Par-  
 “ liament, in the manner therein mentioned, and  
 “ for substituting other provisions for the like  
 “ purposes ;” and of an Act passed in the twenty-  
 sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty,  
 intituled an “ An Act to further limit and define  
 “ the time for proceeding to Election during the  
 “ Recess :”

I do hereby give notice, that the death of Richard Shaw, Esq., late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the borough of Burnley, hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament ; and that I shall issue my Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said borough at the end of six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this twenty-sixth  
 day of January, 1876.

H. BRAND, Speaker.

(H. 633.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
 Whitehall Gardens, January 27, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Notice issued by the Italian Government stating that all arrivals from Syria will be admitted to free pratique.

(H. 634.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
 Whitehall Gardens, January 27, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received through  
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the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Notice issued by the Turkish Government stating that all arrivals from Syria will be admitted to free pratique.

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*Admiralty, 25th January, 1876.*

*Royal Marines.*

The undermentioned promotion has taken place in the Royal Marine Artillery, viz. :—

Lieutenant Samuel Hamilton Bunce Northcote to be Captain, vice Captain and Brevet Major Nugent Macnamara, retired under the provisions of the Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870. Dated 21st January, 1876.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870 —

Fleet Surgeon Robert Charles Scott has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 20th instant.

*Admiralty, 28th January, 1876.*

Sub-Lieutenant Thomas Francis Abbott, of Her Majesty's gun-vessel "Thistle," has this day been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant for efficient and active services against Malays in the Straits of Malacca.

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*War Office, Pall Mall,*

*28th January, 1876.*

The undermentioned Sub-Lieutenants from the Unattached List to be Sub-Lieutenants in the following Regiments, the antedates not to carry back pay :—

*1st Regiment of Life Guards, Henry Vincent*

Higgins, vice William R., Viscount Helmsley, resigned. Dated 11th February, 1875.

*3rd Dragoon Guards*, John Anstruther Smith-Cuninghame, in succession to Lieutenant H. E. Rose, transferred to the 4th Hussars. Dated 11th February, 1875.

Lindesay Cole Parker, in succession to Lieutenant R. Owen, transferred to the 14th Hussars. Dated 11th February, 1875.

*4th Dragoon Guards*, Clarence Edward West, in succession to Lieutenant F. C. Pearson, transferred to the 4th Hussars. Dated 11th February, 1875.

Charles Reginald Orde, in succession to Lieutenant M. C. S. Tynte, promoted. Dated 28th April, 1875.

*6th Dragoon Guards*, William FitzGerald O'Shaughnessy, in succession to Lieutenant F. T. S. Rippingall, retired. Dated 11th February, 1875.

*5th-Lancers*, Charles Lancelot Andrewes Skinner, in succession to Lieutenant A. Hunt, promoted in the 2nd Dragoon Guards. Dated 5th June, 1875.

*6th Dragoons*, The Honourable Rupert Leigh, in succession to Lieutenant H. J. Mills, promoted. Dated 11th February, 1875.

*7th Hussars*, William Henry Hipplesley, in succession to Lieutenant Atherley, transferred to the Royal Horse Guards. Dated 22nd May, 1875.

*8th Hussars*, Bartle Grant, in succession to Lieutenant W. S. D. Abbott, promoted. Dated 22nd May, 1875.

*18th Hussars*, Frederick Tremayne Miles, in succession to Lieutenant C. A. Davies, promoted

in 1st Dragoon Guards. Dated 11th February, 1875.

George William Frisby, in succession to Lieutenant R. G. Kennedy, promoted in 1st Dragoons. Dated 11th February, 1875.

*19th Hussars*, George Richard Tufton, in succession to Lieutenant P. H. S. Barrow, promoted. Dated 11th February, 1875.

Herbert Edwards Reynolds, in succession to Lieutenant R. C. Gregg, resigned. Dated 11th February, 1875.

*21st Hussars*, Walter George Crole Wyndham, in succession to Lieutenant E. B. McInnis, transferred to the 9th Lancers. Dated 11th February, 1875.

*1st Foot*, Gevald Charles Kitson, in succession to Lieutenant T. A. Irwin, promoted Captain on half-pay. Dated 11th February, 1875.

Charles Harcourt Stisted, vice D. S. W., Lord Ogilvy, transferred to the Scots Fusilier Guards. Dated 11th February, 1875.

*3rd Foot*, David Francis Lewis, in succession to Lieutenant A. A. Barnard, retired. Dated 11th February, 1875.

*4th Foot*, Devereux Walter Hickman, in succession to Lieutenant M. B. Ward, deceased. Dated 11th February, 1875.

William Pitcairn Campbell, in succession to Lieutenant J. R. Mulcahy, transferred to the 3rd Dragoon Guards. Dated 10th March, 1875.

Robert Augustus Ritherdon, in succession to Lieutenant T. B. K. Webb, retired. Dated 28th April, 1875.

*6th Foot*, Arthur William Frank Jackson, in succession to Lieutenant A. Morton, promoted. Dated 22nd May, 1875.

- 8th Foot*, Edward Levien Maisey, in succession to Lieutenant F. Moore, promoted. Dated 22nd May, 1875.
- 11th Foot*, John Maynard Barton, in succession to Lieutenant E. W. Scott, retired. Dated 11th February, 1875.
- Cecil William Park, in succession to Lieutenant G. F. Guyon, retired. Dated 5th June, 1875.
- 12th Foot*, Mervyn E. Archdall, in succession to Lieutenant H. E. Elsdon-Everard, transferred to the 29th Foot. Dated 10th March, 1875.
- William Frederick Perceval, in succession to Lieutenant W. B. Ferris, promoted. Dated 28th April, 1875.
- 13th Foot*, Arthur George Wilbraham, vice T. H. Shettle, deceased. Dated 11th February, 1875.
- Arthur Henry Louis Bagot, in succession to Lieutenant A. R. Martin, transferred to the 34th Foot. Dated 11th February, 1875.
- Harold Alexander Ravenshaw, in succession to Lieutenant A. C. Cunningham, promoted. Dated 24th March, 1875.
- John Constantine Allen, in succession to Lieutenant J. J. Ross, promoted. Dated 28th April, 1875.
- James Douglas Standen, in succession to Lieutenant J. F. Bellis, promoted. Dated 28th April, 1875.
- William Nicholas Leader, in succession to Lieutenant E. C. Harris, retired. Dated 12th May, 1875.
- 14th Foot*, Frank Field Wayet, in succession to Lieutenant C. W. Ravenshaw, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 28th April, 1875.
- 16th Foot*, Wentworth Odiarne Cavenagh, in suc-



cession to Lieutenant A. G. Duberley, promoted. Dated 11th February, 1875.

Edward Harold Vallings, vice the Honourable H. Tyrwhitt Tyrwhitt, transferred to the Grenadier Guards. Dated 11th February, 1875.

George Charles Peere Williams-Freeman, in succession to Lieutenant W. S. Whittuck, promoted. Dated 11th February, 1875.

*19th Foot*, James Henry Erskine Reid, vice J. H. Schwabe, resigned. Dated 11th February, 1875.

O'Donnel Colley Grattan, in succession to Lieutenant G. A. Kennedy Skipton, retired. Dated 10th March, 1875.

Gilbert Hamilton Fearon Mathison, in succession to Lieutenant J. F. Fraser, promoted. Dated 10th March, 1875.

Charles John Spottiswoode, in succession to Lieutenant T. B. Emerson, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Lieutenant Instructor at the School of Musketry. Dated 5th June, 1875.

*20th Foot*, Charles James Blomfield, in succession to Lieutenant H. E. Gower, promoted. Dated 11th February, 1875.

Ernest James Robinson, in succession to Lieutenant C. H. Bamber, retired. Dated 11th February, 1875.

*21st Foot*, Spencer Frederick Chichester, in succession to Lieutenant H. Fielden, promoted. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Archibald Allan Cammell, in succession to Lieutenant E. C. Browne, promoted. Dated 11th February, 1875.

*22nd Foot*, Nigel Richard Fitzhardinge Kingscote, in succession to Lieutenant R. A. Blane, promoted. Dated 11th February, 1875.



Digby William Rogers, in succession to Lieutenant R. C. Hare, promoted. Dated 28th April, 1875.

*23rd Foot*, John Harnage King Griffith, in succession to Lieutenant T. B. Graves, promoted. Dated 11th February, 1875.

George Ferdinand Walker, in succession to Lieutenant F. Stringer, promoted. Dated 28th April, 1875.

*24th Foot*, George Astell Pardoe, in succession to Lieutenant C. C. Allen, retired. Dated 11th February, 1875.

Richard Grenville Deane, in succession to Lieutenant H. V. Boothby, retired. Dated 10th March, 1875.

George Eudo Chambers, in succession to Lieutenant J. H. Banks, transferred to the 12th Lancers. Dated 10th March, 1875.

Quentin McKimmon Logan, in succession to Lieutenant T. Rainforth, promoted. Dated 28th April, 1875.

*27th Foot*, John Robert Sandwith, in succession to Lieutenant W. W. Kettlewell, retired. Dated 28th April, 1875.

*28th Foot*, Henry Raleigh Knight. Dated 24th March, 1875.

*29th Foot*, Frederick James Wentworth Bennett, in succession to Lieutenant A. W. Matchett, promoted. Dated 28th April, 1875.

*30th Foot*, Richard Alexander Scott, in succession to Lieutenant N. Bannatyne, promoted. Dated 28th April, 1875.

*31st Foot*, Ernest George Martin, vice W. P. St. John Mildmay, transferred to the Rifle Brigade. Dated 28th April, 1875.

- 35th Foot*, Eugène Leopold Selwyn Brett, in succession to Lieutenant A. P. Hawthorn, retired. Dated 10th March, 1875.
- 38th Foot*, John Stewart Macartney Hume, in succession to Lieutenant H. Conor, retired. Dated 28th April, 1875.
- 42nd Foot*, Francis Lovell Speid. Dated 11th February, 1875.
- Alexander Gordon Duff. Dated 28th April, 1875.
- Norman MacLeod, in succession to Lieutenant E. P. Hicks, promoted. Dated 28th April, 1875.
- James Allan Park, in succession to Lieutenant W. K. Suther, retired. Dated 5th June, 1875.
- 47th Foot*, Robert Edmund Golightly, in succession to Lieutenant J. A. Smith, deceased. Dated 28th April, 1875.
- 49th Foot*, Charles Frederick Sievwright, in succession to Lieutenant H. B. M. Mansel-Pleydell, transferred to 7th Foot. Dated 10th March, 1875.
- Francis Bacon Russell Hemphill, in succession to Lieutenant F. S. Smith, promoted. Dated 28th April, 1875.
- 50th Foot*, Arthur Templeman Morse, in succession to Lieutenant J. E. D. Taunton, retired. Dated 28th April, 1875.
- Archibald William Cutlar Fergusson, in succession to Lieutenant J. H. Vander-Meulen, promoted. Dated 22nd May, 1875.
- 53rd Foot*, Walton Beauchamp Kitching, in succession to Lieutenant G. J. Smith, retired. Dated 5th June, 1875.
- 57th Foot*, Alexander Towers-Clark, in succession to Lieutenant H. T. Hughes-Hallett, promoted. Dated 22nd May, 1875.

*58th Foot*, Robert Vernon Garrett, in succession to Lieutenant C. J. F. Gordon, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 11th February, 1875.

*61st Foot*, Clarence Francis Berkeley Wodehouse, vice T. A. Hill, transferred to the 12th Lancers, Dated 28th April, 1875.

*64th Foot*, John William Parker, in succession to Lieutenant F. S. K. Lushington, deceased. Dated 11th February, 1875.

Charles Anthony Lamb, vice J. H. Reynolds, transferred to the Grenadier Guards. Dated 11th February, 1875.

*69th Foot*, William Heathcote Tapp, in succession to Lieutenant L. W. Macdonald, retired. Dated 11th February, 1875.

Arthur George Burn, in succession to Lieutenant A. P. Wodehouse, promoted. Dated 10th March, 1875.

*71st Foot*, John Arthur Milne Gardiner, in succession to Lieutenant G. A. Aldridge, retired. Dated 12th May, 1875.

*74th Foot*, Cecil Charles Cavendish, in succession to Lieutenant C. M. McAlpine, promoted. Dated 28th April, 1875.

*75th Foot*, Edmund Richard Scott, in succession to Lieutenant R. H. Ellis, retired. Dated 5th June, 1875.

*77th Foot*, Francis Douglas Lumley, in succession to Lieutenant W. A. Spence, retired. Dated 10th March, 1875.

David Arbuthnott, in succession to Lieutenant H. Topp, promoted. Dated 10th March, 1875.

Brand Sapte, in succession to Lieutenant C. Forte, promoted. Dated 10th March, 1875.

- Robert Theophilus Hewitt Law, in succession to Lieutenant T. C. Fisher, retired. Dated 24th March, 1875.
- William Cyril Minchin, in succession to Lieutenant W. F. Ashton, retired. Dated 12th May, 1875.
- 78th Foot*, William de Bathe Hatton, vice R. St George Smith, resigned. Dated 28th April, 1875.
- 80th Foot*, Lord Frederick FitzGerald, in succession to Lieutenant E. H. B. O'Geran, deceased. Dated 11th February, 1875.
- 86th Foot*, John Samuel Gaussen, in succession to Lieutenant C. H. Jackson, promoted to a half-pay Company. Dated 11th February, 1875.
- Frederick John Tobin, in succession to Lieutenant J. J. Blake, retired. Dated 12th May, 1875.
- 87th Foot*, Walter Latham Cox, in succession to Lieutenant W. Graham, retired. Dated 11th February, 1875.
- 90th Foot*, Patrick Edmond Campbell Sheehan, in succession to Lieutenant F. M. Balfour, retired. Dated 5th June, 1875.
- 91st Foot*, Gerald Lionel Joseph Goff, in succession to Lieutenant Vernon Chater, promoted. Dated 10th March, 1875.
- Henry Francis Campbell Johnston, in succession to Lieutenant F. Gurney, promoted. Dated 5th June, 1875.
- 93rd Foot*, Alfred Harold Middleton, in succession to Lieutenant C. W. S. Lowndes, promoted. Dated 28th April, 1875.
- 95th Foot*, William Wallace Dunlop, in succession to Lieutenant B. W. Faulkner, promoted. Dated 28th April, 1875.

*96th Foot*, Graham Cludde Herbert, in succession to Lieutenant T. M. L. Lawder, retired. Dated 11th February, 1875.

John William Ainslie Drummond, in succession to Lieutenant A. P. Tripe, retired. Dated 11th February, 1875.

*97th Foot*, Archibald Edward Miles, in succession to Lieutenant E. B. Crake, transferred to the Rifle Brigade. Dated 11th February, 1875.

Henry Leighton Fanshawe, vice A. Foster, transferred to the 15th Foot. Dated 11th February, 1875.

Robert Alfred Baker, in succession to Lieutenant W. J. Bowden, retired. Dated 24th March, 1875.

*98th Foot*, The Honourable Anthony Lucias Dawson, in succession to Lieutenant R. C. F. Dallas, retired. Dated 11th February, 1875.

Frederick Canning Cortlandt Angelo, in succession to Lieutenant A. W. Stapleton, retired. Dated 11th February, 1875.

*100th Foot*, Francis James Kempster, in succession to Lieutenant H. J. Grasett, retired. Dated 10th March, 1875.

Napier Langford Pearse, in succession to Lieutenant W. C. Barne, retired. Dated 24th March, 1875.

*102nd Foot*, George Arthur Shadforth, in succession to Lieutenant T. B. Turner, promoted. Dated 28th April, 1875.

Arthur William McKinstry, in succession to Lieutenant W. H. McCaskill, promoted. Dated 5th June, 1875.

*104th Foot*, Alfred Herrick Butler Clough, in succession to Lieutenant S. N. Roberts, promoted. Dated 24th March, 1875.

*105th Foot*, The Honourable Hugh Amherst, in succession to Lieutenant R. G. Newbolt, promoted. Dated 11th February, 1875.

Harold Gore-Browne, vice W. Hore, transferred to the 95th Foot. Dated 11th February, 1875.

*106th Foot*, George Markham Davison, in succession to Lieutenant E. R. Coker, promoted. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Archibald Lennox Milliken Napier, in succession to Lieutenant H. C. Reynolds, promoted. Dated 11th February, 1875.

The Honourable Richard Thompson Lawley, in succession to Lieutenant G. R. Pooley, retired. Dated 11th February, 1875.

The undermentioned Sub-Lieutenants to be transferred as follows :—

*2nd Life Guards*, John Anstruther Smith-Cunninghame, from the 3rd Dragoon Guards, in succession to Lieutenant Cromartie, Marquis of Stafford, retired. Dated 29th January, 1876.

*2nd Dragoons*, William Henry Hipplesley, from the 7th Hussars, vice R. B. W. Fisher, transferred to the 10th Hussars. Dated 29th January, 1876.

*7th Hussars*, The Honourable Richard Thompson Lawley, from the 106th Foot, vice W. H. Hipplesley, transferred to the 2nd Dragoons. Dated 29th January, 1876.

*15th Hussars*, The Honourable Rupert Leigh, from the 6th Dragoons, in succession to Lieutenant W. Francis, transferred to the 46th Foot. Dated 29th January, 1876.

*3rd Foot*, Henry Raleigh Knight, from the 28th Foot, in succession to Lieutenant W. E. R. Kelly, promoted. Dated 29th January, 1876.

- 5th Foot*, Ernest James Robinson, from the 20th Foot, in succession to Lieutenant G. N. Wyatt, retired. Dated 29th January, 1876.
- 7th Foot*, Graham Cludde Herbert, from the 96th Foot, vice L. H. H. P. Skinner, resigned. Dated 29th January, 1876.
- The Honourable Hugh Amherst, from the 105th Foot, in succession to Lieutenant F. W. Douglass, promoted Captain on half-pay. Dated 29th January, 1876.
- 8th Foot*, O'Donnel Colley Grattan, from the 19th Foot, in succession to Lieutenant W. T. Dooner, promoted. Dated 29th January, 1876.
- 17th Foot*, Arthur William McKinsty, from the 102nd Foot, in succession to Lieutenant F. G. Lacon, retired. Dated 29th January, 1876.
- 25th Foot*, James Henry Erskine Reid, from the 19th Foot, in succession to Lieutenant C. G. Makellar, deceased. Dated 29th January, 1876.
- 35th Foot*, George Charles Peere Williams-Freeman, from the 16th Foot, in succession to Lieutenant W. Tolson, promoted. Dated 29th January, 1876.
- 40th Foot*, Frederick Canning Cortlandt Angelo, from the 98th Foot, vice F. A. Blyth, transferred to the 73rd Foot. Dated 29th January, 1876.
- 43rd Foot*, Arthur George Burn, from the 69th Foot, in succession to Lieutenant W. H. Sim, deceased. Dated 29th January, 1876.
- 45th Foot*, Napier Langford Pearse, from the 100th Foot, in succession to Lieutenant R. L. Edwards, transferred to the 106th Foot. Dated 29th January, 1876.



*60th Foot*, Gerald Charles Kitson, from the 1st Foot, in succession to Lieutenant J. S. Wynne Finch, transferred to the Royal Horse Guards. Dated 29th January, 1876.

Archibald Edward Miles, from the 97th Foot, in succession to Lieutenant W. Tilden, promoted. Dated 29th January, 1876.

Lord Frederick FitzGerald, from the 80th Foot, in succession to Lieutenant A. H. Bircham, promoted. Dated 29th January, 1876.

Harold Gore-Browne, from the 105th Foot, in succession to Lieutenant the Honourable C. R. Howard, promoted. Dated 29th January, 1876.

William Pitcairn Campbell, from the 4th Foot, in succession to Lieutenant H. A. H. Ward, promoted. Dated 29th January, 1876.

Robert Edmund Golightly, from the 47th Foot, in succession to Lieutenant H. B. MacCall, promoted. Dated 29th January, 1876.

*77th Foot*, Clarence Francis Berkeley Wodehouse, from the 61st Foot, in succession to Lieutenant M. E. Thomson, retired. Dated 29th January, 1876.

The undermentioned Lieutenants of Militia to be Lieutenants, as follows :—

*4th Foot*, Alfred Williams Bromley, from the 2nd Warwick Militia, to be Lieutenant, in succession to Sub-Lieutenant W. P. Campbell, transferred to the 60th Foot. Dated 29th January, 1876.

*19th Foot*, Gerard Gordon Elrington, from the Worcester Militia, to be Lieutenant, in succession to Sub-Lieutenant J. H. E. Reid, transferred to the 25th Foot. Dated 29th January, 1876.

*28th Foot*, Francis Farquharson Ramsay, from the Forfar and Kincardine Artillery Militia, to be



Lieutenant, in succession to Sub-Lieutenant H. R. Knight, transferred to the 3rd Foot. Dated 29th January, 1876.

97th Foot, Henry Powell Gore Langton, from the 1st Somerset Militia, to be Lieutenant, in succession to Sub-Lieutenant A. E. Miles, transferred to the 60th Foot. Dated 29th January, 1876.

98th Foot, Henry Hartband Higginson, from the 2nd Royal Lancashire Militia, to be Lieutenant, in succession to Sub-Lieutenant F. C. C. Angelo, transferred to the 40th Foot. Dated 29th January, 1876.

105th Foot, William Henry Thomas, from the 3rd West York Militia, to be Lieutenant, in succession to Sub-Lieutenant the Honourable H. Amherst, transferred to the 7th Foot. Dated 29th January, 1876.

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*War Office, 25th January, 1876.*

#### MEMORANDUM.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to approve of the Denbighshire Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry being in future designated "*The Denbighshire (Hussars) Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.*"

*War Office, 28th January, 1876.*

#### MILITIA.

##### *Royal Cumberland.*

Lieutenant-Colonel Samuel Lacy William Sander-son is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 29th January, 1876.

##### *Hampshire Artillery.*

Captain Thomas Gainsborough Gardiner resigns his Commission. Dated 29th January, 1876.

*East Kent.*

Walter Hill Chetwynd, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th January, 1876.

*West Kent.*

Sub - Lieutenant Lord James Edward Sholto Douglas resigns his Commission. Dated 29th January, 1876.

The Honourable Henry Charles Hardinge to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th January, 1876.

*3rd Royal Lancashire.*

Lieutenant Sutherland Dumbreck resigns his Commission. Dated 29th January, 1876.

*5th Royal Lancashire.*

Captain St. John Dupond Galwey resigns his Commission. Dated 29th January, 1876.

*6th Royal Lancashire.*

Lieutenant Randle Brereton Hooper resigns his Commission. Dated 29th January, 1876.

*7th Royal Lancashire.*

The services of Sub-Lieutenant Charles J. Johnson are dispensed with. Dated 29th January, 1876.

*Royal North Lincoln.*

James Buckingham Caddell, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th January, 1876.

*Royal London.*

Captain Henry Marshall Fletcher resigns his Commission. Dated 29th January, 1876.

*Royal East Middlesex.*

Martin Archer-Shee, jun., Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th January, 1876.

*Northampton and Rutland.*

Gerard Thomas Noel, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th January, 1876.

James Richard Plomer Clarke, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th January, 1876.

Langham Charles Christie, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th January, 1876.

*Northumberland.*

William Orde, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th January, 1876.

*The (King's Own) 1st Stafford.*

Michael Alexander Wilsone Broun, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th January, 1876.

*Suffolk Artillery.*

Frederic Thring Robertson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th January, 1876.

Harry Elrington Dobree, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th January, 1876.

*East York.*

Edward Heyrick Pease, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th January, 1876.

*The Edinburgh, or Queen's Regiment of Light Infantry.*

Sub-Lieutenant the Honourable Richard Baillie-Hamilton, from the Worcester Militia, to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th January, 1876.

*The Highland Light Infantry.*

Sub-Lieutenant William James Angus resigns his Commission. Dated 29th January, 1876.

*Carlow.*

Alexander Writeson Lawe, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th January, 1876.

*South Cork.*

Henry Lucas, Esq., late Captain and Adjutant, to be Major (Supernumerary). Dated 31st December, 1875.

*Royal Dublin City.*

Sub-Lieutenant Francis Butler to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th April, 1874.

*Galway.*

Gerald Carlile Stratford Handcock, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th January, 1876.

*Kildare.*

Sub-Lieutenant Lord Maurice Fitzgerald to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th February, 1875.

*Royal Limerick County.*

Major George Eyre Massy is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 29th January, 1876.

*Waterford Artillery.*

Captain and Honorary Major Edward Lymbery resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 29th January, 1876.

## YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

*Dorset.*

John Clavell Mansell (now Mansell-Pleydell), Esq., late Captain, is permitted to retain his rank and wear the uniform of the Regiment. Dated 18th July, 1870.

*Herts.*

Lieutenant Edward Majoribanks resigns his Commission. Dated 29th January, 1876.

*West Kent.*

Lieutenant Reginald, Viscount Nevill, resigns his Commission. Dated 29th January, 1876.

FROM THE  
LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 1,  
1876.

A DESPATCH, of which the following is a copy, has been received by the Secretary of State for War :—

SIR, *Head Quarters, Camp at Kinta,*  
(on Kinta River), December 18, 1875.

I HAVE the honour to acquaint you that by the exertions of the Civil Commissioner in procuring native water transport, &c., of Captain Buller, R.N., Commanding Her Majesty's ship "Modeste," Senior Naval Officer, in causing the adaption of boats to the service, and a sufficient amount of stores having been provided by the Control Department, the Force (Naval and Mili-

tary), as per margin\*, was enabled to advance from the above place up the river towards Blanja, on the 8th instant.

The labour in poling the heavily laden boats against the strong current was so severe, and the delay caused by the grounding of some of the larger boats, and the intricacy of the channel so frequent, that it was scarcely possible or advisable to attempt more than seven or eight miles advance each day. The troops encamped on successive nights on an island above Passir Sala, at Passir Garnam, at Pulo Telor (a short distance above Lumbha), and at two miles beyond Bhota, arriving at Blanja on the 13th instant, without having experienced any opposition on the river; the villages, however, were mostly deserted and the boats removed.

Receiving intelligence at Blanja that the Malay Chiefs, Lela and Ismael (supposed to be implicated in the murder of the Resident) had passed through Blanja and taken the road to Kinta, and that it was their intention to obstruct the passage of this road, I decided, with the concurrence of the Senior Naval Officer, and the Civil Commissioner, to commence an advance without delay from the Perak River, through the jungle to the Kinta River, and get possession of the Kinta capital. I accordingly proceeded with the force as before (leaving 50 men, 1st Battalion, 10th Regiment, under an officer to occupy Blanja). The extreme badness of the narrow path, through the intensely thick jungle, constantly interrupted by trees of very large size fallen across it, the swampy ground and deep mud over which it was necessary to

\* Naval Brigade—70 men, 2 guns, and 2 rockers.

Royal Artillery—40 men and 2 guns; 1 Battalion 10th Regiment—100 men; 86th Regiment—100 men.

pass, and occasionally to construct a rough corde-ray way for the guns, rendered progress very slow.

At a turn in the path, about two or three miles from Blanja, the first opposition was encountered; a rapid fire was opened upon the advanced guard, which was under command of Lieutenant Paton, 1st Battalion, 10th Regiment, from behind a stockade, concealed by the thickness of the jungle, at about 30 yards' distance. Our men placed themselves under cover and returned the fire with promptitude. One of the guns, Royal Artillery, and the naval rocket tube, were brought forward, and the enemy retreated hastily. No casualty on our side occurred with the exception of a severe wound through the thigh received by Dr. Randall, the Colonial Medical Officer, who accompanied the expedition. It was impossible to ascertain the numbers of the opposing Malays, or the amount of loss inflicted on them.

After a further advance of about two miles fire was again opened from another stockade on rising ground on our front, which was taken possession of in the same manner as the former. This was a well-chosen position, and I feel confident from the character of the work here commenced, and the extensive preparations that had been made for its completion, that it was intended to make an obstinate stand at this point, and that had this and others at favourable points been completed their capture would have been attended with some difficulty and probable loss. The jungle on both sides is for the most part impenetrable for troops, and the use of flanking parties impossible, and it is most difficult to obtain a view of the enemy interrupting the march.

The force halted at the close of the day (at dusk) on a comparatively open piece of ground on



the side of a ravine, at the bottom of which there was a stream of water. Here also stockading had commenced. The labour of the men, particularly of the Royal Artillery and rocket men, had been so severe that Captain Buller and myself concurred in the expediency of resting here on the following day, a sufficient defence being thrown up to protect the force from surprise. On the following morning (the 15th) the troops and Naval Brigade again advanced, and reached the Papan Mines without impediment, except from the badness of the road, about six miles from Kinta, encamping there, and remaining the following day to allow time for the arrival of further supplies from the rear, which had been much delayed.

From this place a reconnoitring party of about 40 men, under a friendly Rajah (Mahmoud) was sent, accompanied by Mr. Swettenham, one of the Civil Commissioners, whose local knowledge and thorough acquaintance with Malay has been of the greatest use.

This party halted at some open ground about two miles from Kinta. The main body advanced on the following morning, the 17th, and arrived at this spot at about 12 mid-day (the road being equally bad or worse than on the former days). The enemy were found in occupation of a stockade some short distance in advance, and after some firing were dislodged.

The force proceeded to Kinta, which was taken after a slight resistance, the enemy abandoning the town and defences, and retreating up the river in their boats.

Nine (9) bronze guns of small calibre were left by them,—some thrown into the river. There is no doubt the ex-Sultan Ismael had preceded us at a short interval, and from information received that it was intended strongly to obstruct the road



from Blanja. There were evident signs of a hasty retreat, which I regret the smallness of the force, the situation of the town on the opposite bank of the river, and its great length and the character of the country, prevented our effectually interrupting. I am convinced that it has been of great importance to secure this road before the hostile Malays had time to obstruct the passage through this dangerous jungle more effectually than they did, and I am assured by the Commissioners that the moral effect of the occupation of Kinta will be very beneficial. The Rajah Lela, with the ex-Sultan Ismael, are supposed to have fled together into the Patani, or Lower Siam territory. It is my intention to remain here until receiving further instructions from His Excellency the Governor.

I imagine it will be considered necessary to occupy this part of the country with a military force until matters are settled, and the murderers of the Resident are given up, or satisfaction obtained.

I expect shortly the arrival of a portion of the 3rd Regiment (Buffs), and a part of the Goorkha Force from Qualla Quansa.

The troops proceeded on the march without tents, carrying their waterproof sheets and blankets, but their white clothing is very ill adapted to the present service.

I am happy, however, to state that, notwithstanding the exposure, the occasional heavy rains, and change of temperature at night, the health of the men has been good, and they are now comfortably housed in this town.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) FRANCIS COLBORNE,  
Major-General Commanding China  
and Straits.

*Foreign Office, January 28, 1876.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint the Honourable Francis Richard Plunkett, now Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Yedo, to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Washington.

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By virtue of an Act passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His Majesty King George III, intituled "An Act to repeal so much of two Acts made in the tenth and fifteenth years of the reign of His present Majesty, as authorizes the Speaker of the House of Commons to issue his Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown for making out writs for the election of Members to serve in Parliament, in the manner therein mentioned, and for substituting other provisions for the like purposes;" and of an Act passed in the twenty-sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to further limit and define the time for proceeding to Election during the Recess."

I do hereby give notice, that it hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament, that the Honourable Arthur Philip Stanhope (commonly called Viscount Mahon), late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the Eastern Division of the county of Suffolk, is become a Peer of the United Kingdom, and that a writ of Summons hath been issued to him under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom to summon him to Parliament, and that I shall issue my Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for said

county, at the end of six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this thirty-first day of January, 1876.

H. BRAND, Speaker.

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*Whitehall, January 19, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Georgina Katherine Vernon, of Royal York-crescent, Clifton, in the county of Gloucester, widow and relict of Charles Vernon, late of York-crescent aforesaid, Esquire, deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that she and her issue may, in compliance with a proviso contained in the last will and testament of George Gore, late of Clifton aforesaid, Esquire, sometime Lieutenant Colonel of the 9th (Queen's Royal) Regiment of Lancers, deceased, take and henceforth use the surname of Gore in addition to and after that of Vernon, and bear the arms of Gore; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's said College of Arms.

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*Admiralty, 31st January, 1876.*

*Royal Marines.*

The following Gentlemen have been appointed Lieutenants in the Royal Marine Light Infantry, viz.:—

Cyril Venn Wilton Williamson. Dated 27th January, 1876.

Albert Farrar Gatliff. Dated 27th January, 1876.

Edward Andrée Wylde. Dated 27th January, 1876.

Charles Radcliffe Thursby. Dated 27th January, 1876.

Everard Vaughan Goldsmid. Dated 27th January, 1876.

Arthur Edmund Horniblow. Dated 27th January, 1876.

Charles Herbert Powell. Dated 27th January, 1876.

Alexander Houghton Abercrombie. Dated 27th January, 1876.

Harry Clements Powell. Dated 27th January, 1876.

James Bruce Darling. Dated 27th January, 1876.

Robert Baillie. Dated 27th January, 1876.

Percy Owen Lang. Dated 27th January, 1876.

Henry Mallaby Abud. Dated 27th January, 1876.

Charles Wellesley Parish. Dated 27th January, 1876.

Walter Quentin. Dated 27th January, 1876.

*War Office, Pall Mall,*

*1st February, 1876.*

*Corps of Royal Engineers*, Major Thomas Beckley (late Madras) retires upon a pension. Dated 20th November, 1875.

Captain Rcss Thompson (late Madras) to be Major, vice T. Beckley. Dated 20th November, 1875.

Captain Thomas Fraser, from the Supernumerary List, to be Captain, vice W. Innes, killed in action. Dated 8th November, 1875.

Lieutenant George Tindall Plunkett to be Captain, vice R. Thompson (late Madras). Dated 20th November, 1875.

Lieutenant William Gordon Ross is placed upon the Supernumerary List, on appointment as Instructor at the Royal Military Academy. Dated 23rd September, 1875.

Lieutenant Robert Charles Thoroton Hildyard is placed upon the Supernumerary List on appointment as Instructor at the Royal Military Academy. Dated 23rd September, 1875.

The temporary Commissions as Lieutenant of the following Officers to be made permanent and antedated to 9th January, 1873, such antedate not to carry back pay, viz. :—

John Charles Campbell.

Henry Finnis.

James Archibald Ferrier.

John Davidson Fullerton.

Charles Reginald Hoskyn.

Edgar Charles Spilsbury.

Philip Bell Baldwin.

George Turner Jones.

William Daniel Conner.

Robert Villiers Phillpotts.

Waldemar Delmar Lindley.

Edward Hugh Bethell.

Frederick William Town Attree.

### BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Davidson, Royal (late Bengal) Engineers, having completed the qualifying service in the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonel. Dated 2nd January, 1876.

*War Office, 1st February, 1876.*

MILITIA.

*Royal Cornwall and Devon Miners Artillery.*

Paul Treby Clark, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 2nd February, 1876.

*Royal Denbigh.*

Charles William Townshend, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 2nd February, 1876.

*1st Devon.*

Charles Louis Woolcombe, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 2nd February, 1876.

*Dorset.*

Harvey Goodwin Brooks, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 2nd February, 1876.

*3rd Middlesex or Royal Westminster.*

Robert McEwen, Esq., formerly Captain and Adjutant, is granted the honorary rank of Major, and is permitted to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 9th December, 1875.

*4th or Royal South Middlesex.*

Joseph Spink Crockett, Esq., late Captain, 84th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 2nd February, 1876.

*The (King's Own) 1st Stafford.*

Sub-Lieutenant Neville Thorold Wood resigns his Commission. Dated 2nd February, 1876.

*The Queen's Own Royal Tower Hamlets.*

Captain George Albert Conran resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and

to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 2nd February, 1876.

*East York.*

Francis Henry Garnett, Esq., late Captain, 15th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 2nd February, 1876.

*Yorkshire Artillery.*

Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Nelson resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 2nd February, 1876.

*The Duke of Edinburgh's Own Edinburgh Artillery.*

Charles Robert Brown, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 2nd February, 1876.

*2nd Royal Lanark.*

Lieutenant Michael Rowand Gray Buchanan, to be Captain. Dated 2nd February, 1876.

*Royal Perth.*

Captain George Muirhead resigns his Commission. Dated 2nd February, 1876.

*Royal Limerick County.*

Anthony Wogan Browne, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 2nd February, 1876.

*Louth.*

The Honourable Charles Bertram Bellew to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 2nd February, 1876.

*Mid-Ulster Artillery.*

William Browne, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 2nd February, 1876.

## YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

*Warwickshire.*

Lieutenant-Colonel Bolton King resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 2nd February, 1876.

Major William S. Dugdale resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 2nd February, 1876.

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*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Stafford.*

Alexander Staveley Hill, Esq., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 26th January, 1876.

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FROM THE

*LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 4,*  
1876.

*Lord Great Chamberlain's Office,*  
*Palace of Westminster, February 3, 1876.*

ALL Peeresses on announcing their intention of being present on the occasion of the Opening of Parliament on Tuesday, the 8th instant, will have places reserved for them in the House of Lords if the announcement be made at this Office before five o'clock on Monday, the 7th instant.



Peers' eldest Sons will have Tickets for the Peers' eldest Sons' Box forwarded to them upon a written or personal application at this Office.

No Strangers can be admitted except by a Ticket from the Deputy Lord Great Chamberlain.

The doors will be opened at twelve o'clock.

AVELAND,

Deputy Great Chamberlain.

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*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,  
February 4, 1876.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness The Duke of Edinburgh will, by command of The Queen, hold a Levee at St. James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Tuesday, the 29th instant, at two o'clock.

It is The Queen's pleasure that Presentations to His Royal Highness at the Levee shall be considered as equivalent to Presentations to Her Majesty.

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#### REGULATIONS

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S LEVEE TO BE HELD BY HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH, ON BEHALF OF HER MAJESTY, AT ST. JAMES'S PALACE.

*By Her Majesty's Command,*

The Noblemen and Gentlemen, who propose to attend Her Majesty's Levee, at St. James's Palace, are requested to bring with them two large cards, with their names *clearly written* thereon, one to be left with The Queen's Page in attendance in the Corridor, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to His Royal Highness.

## PRESENTATIONS.

Any Nobleman or Gentleman who proposes to be presented, must leave at the Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, *before twelve o'clock*, two clear days before the Levee, a card with his name written thereon, and with the name of the Nobleman or Gentleman by whom he is to be presented. In order to carry out the existing regulations that no presentation can be made at a Levee excepting by a person actually attending that Levee, it is also necessary that an intimation from the Nobleman or Gentleman who is to make the presentation, of his intention to be present, should accompany the presentation card above referred to, which will be submitted to The Queen for Her Majesty's approbation. It is Her Majesty's command that no presentations shall be made at the Levee, except in accordance with the above regulations.

It is particularly requested, that in every case the names be *very distinctly written* upon the cards to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, in order that there may be no difficulty in announcing them to His Royal Highness.

The State Apartments will be open for the reception of Company coming to Court at one o'clock.

HERTFORD,

Lord Chamberlain.

*Downing Street, February 2, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint John Shaw, Esq., to be Treasurer for Her Majesty's Settlement of Sierra Leone.

*Crown Office, February 4, 1876.*

MEMBER returned to serve in the present  
PARLIAMENT.

*County of Salop.  
Northern Division.*

Stanley Leighton, Esq., in the place of John  
Ralph Ormsby-Gore, Esq., now a Peer of the  
United Kingdom.

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*Admiralty, 3rd February, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her  
Majesty's Order in Council of the 26th June,  
1867—

Retired Navigating Lieutenant Henry Yorke  
Slader has been allowed to assume the rank and  
title of Staff Commander from the 30th  
ultimo.

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*War Office, Pall Mall,*

*4th February, 1876.*

# COMMISSARIAT AND TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

*African Branch,* Deputy-Commissary Henry  
Frederick Blissett, C.M.G., to be Commissary.  
Dated 5th February, 1876.

Assistant-Commissary, on probation, James Cas-  
major Gore to be Assistant-Commissary.  
Dated 1st September, 1873.

Assistant-Commissary, on probation, John Joseph  
Crooks to be Assistant-Commissary. Dated  
8th September, 1873.

## MEMORANDUM.

Assistant-Paymaster Michael Coen, of the Pay  
Sub-Department of the late Control Department,  
to retired pay. Dated 5th February, 1876.

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FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE* of *FEBRUARY* 8,  
 1876.

*The Prince of Wales's Council Chamber,  
 Buckingham Gate, February 7, 1876.*

HIS Royal Highness the Prince of Wales has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Seal of the Duchy of Cornwall appointing Francis Gilbert Enys, of Enys, Esq., Sheriff of the County of Cornwall.

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At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,  
 the 5th day of *February*, 1876.

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order that as regards all such matters and cases as arise after the time when the Egyptian Courts of First Instance at Alexandria, Cairo, and Zagazig, and the Court of Appeal at Alexandria begin to sit and act judicially, and as come within the jurisdiction of those Courts, the operation of the Order of Her Majesty the Queen in Council for the regulation of Consular Jurisdiction in the Dominions of the Sublime Ottoman Porte, made at Windsor, the twelfth day of December, 1873, and of every Order amending the same, shall be suspended until it shall seem fit to Her Majesty the Queen, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to otherwise order.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,  
the 5th day of *February*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament made and passed in the Session of Parliament holden in the thirty-third and thirty-fourth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for amending the Law relating to the Extradition of Criminals," and also by an Act of Parliament made and passed in the Session of Parliament holden in the thirty-sixth and thirty-seventh years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to amend the Extradition Act, 1870," it was amongst other things enacted, that where an arrangement has been made with any foreign State with respect to the surrender to such State of any fugitive criminals, Her Majesty may, by Order in Council, direct that the said Acts shall apply in the case of such foreign State; and that Her Majesty may, by the same or any subsequent Order, limit the operation of the Order, and restrict the same to fugitive criminals who are in or suspected of being in the part of Her Majesty's dominions specified in the Order, and render the operation thereof subject to such conditions, exceptions, and qualifications as may be deemed expedient:

And whereas a Treaty was concluded on the sixth day of January, 1874, between Her Majesty and the President of the Republic of Honduras, for the Mutual Extradition of Fugitive Criminals, which Treaty is in the terms following:—

HER Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and His Excellency the President of the Republic of

Honduras, having judged it expedient, with a view to the better administration of justice and to the prevention of crime within the two countries and their jurisdictions, that persons charged with or convicted of the crimes hereinafter enumerated, and being fugitives from justice, should, under certain circumstances, be reciprocally delivered up, have named as their Plenipotentiaries, to conclude a Treaty for this purpose (that is to say):—

Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Edwin Corbett, Esq., Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires and Consul-General to said Republic of Honduras, &c. ;

And his Excellency the President of the Republic of Honduras, the Señor Don Augustin Gomez Carrillo, Deputy to the present Legislature of Guatemala, &c. ;

Who, after having communicated to each other their respective full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed upon and concluded the following Articles :—

## ARTICLE I.

The High Contracting Parties engage to deliver up to each other those persons who, being accused or convicted of a crime committed in the territory of the one Party, shall be found within the territory of the other Party, under the circumstances and conditions stated in the present Treaty.

## ARTICLE II.

It is agreed that Her Britannic Majesty and his Excellency the President of Honduras shall, on requisition made in their name by their respective Diplomatic Agents, deliver up to each other reciprocally any persons, except native subjects or citizens of the Party upon whom the requisition

may be made, who, being accused or convicted, whether as a principal or an accessory, either before or after the fact, of any of the crimes hereinafter specified, committed within the jurisdiction of the requiring Party, shall be found within the territories of the other Party :—

1. Murder, or attempt or conspiracy to murder.
2. Manslaughter.
3. Counterfeiting or altering money, or uttering counterfeit or altered money.
4. Forgery, counterfeiting or altering, or uttering what is forged or counterfeited or altered.
5. Embezzlement or larceny.
6. Obtaining money or goods by false pretences.
7. Malicious injury to property, if the offence be indictable.
8. Crimes against bankruptcy law.
9. Fraud by a bailee, banker, agent, factor, trustee or director or member or public officer of any Company made criminal by any law for the time being in force.
10. Perjury or subornation of perjury
11. Rape.
12. Abduction.
13. Child-stealing.
14. False imprisonment.
15. Burglary or housebreaking.
16. Arson.
17. Robbery with violence.
18. Threats by letter or otherwise, with intent to extort.
19. Piracy by law of nations.
20. Sinking or destroying a vessel at sea, or attempting or conspiring to do so.
21. Assaults on board a ship on the high seas with intent to destroy life or to do grievous bodily harm.



22. Revolt, or conspiracy to revolt, by two or more persons on board a ship on the high seas against the authority of the master.

Provided that the surrender shall be made only when, in the case of a person accused, the commission of the crime shall be so established as that the laws of the country where the fugitive or person so accused shall be found would justify his apprehension and commitment for trial if the crime had been there committed; and, in the case of a person alleged to have been convicted on such evidence as according to the laws of the country where he is found, would prove that he had been convicted.

### ARTICLE III.

No Honduran as above stated shall be delivered up by the Government of Honduras to the Government of the United Kingdom, and no subject of the United Kingdom shall be delivered up by the Government thereof to the Government of Honduras.

### ARTICLE IV.

The extradition shall not take place if the person claimed on the part of the Government of the United Kingdom, or the person claimed on the part of the Government of Honduras, has already been tried and discharged or punished, or is still under trial in the territory of the United Kingdom or of Honduras respectively for the crime for which his extradition is demanded.

If the person claimed on the part of the Government of the United Kingdom, or if the person claimed on the part of the Government of Honduras, should be under examination for any other crime in the territory of the United Kingdom or in the Republic of Honduras respectively, his



extradition shall be deferred until the conclusion of the trial and the full execution of any punishment awarded to him.

#### ARTICLE V.

The extradition shall not take place if, subsequently to the commission of the crime or the institution of the penal prosecution or the conviction thereon, exemption from prosecution or punishment has been acquired by lapse of time, according to the laws of the State applied to.

#### ARTICLE VI.

A fugitive criminal shall not be surrendered if the offence in respect of which his surrender is demanded is one of a political character, or if he prove that the requisition for his surrender has, in fact, been made with a view to try or punish him for an offence of a political character.

#### ARTICLE VII.

A person surrendered can in no case be kept in prison or be brought to trial in the State to which the surrender has been made, for any other crime, or on account of any other matters, than those for which the extradition shall have taken place. This stipulation does not apply to crimes committed after the extradition.

#### ARTICLE VIII.

The requisition for extradition shall be made through the Diplomatic Agents of the High Contracting Parties respectively.

The requisition for the extradition of an accused person must be accompanied by a warrant of arrest issued by the competent authority of the State requiring the extradition, and by such evidence as, according to the laws of the place where the

accused is found, would justify his arrest if the crime had been committed there.

If the requisition relates to a person already convicted, it must be accompanied by the sentence of condemnation passed against the convicted person by the competent Court of the State that makes the requisition for extradition.

A requisition for extradition cannot be founded on sentences passed *in contumaciam*.

## ARTICLE IX.

If the requisition for extradition be in accordance with the foregoing stipulations, the competent authorities of the State applied to shall proceed to the arrest of the fugitive.

The prisoner is then to be brought before a competent Magistrate, who is to examine him and to conduct the preliminary investigation of the case, just as if the apprehension had taken place for a crime committed in the same country.

## ARTICLE X.

The extradition shall not take place before the expiration of fifteen days from the apprehension, and then only if the evidence be found sufficient, according to the laws of the State applied to, either to justify the committal of the prisoner for trial, in case the crime had been committed in the territory of the said State, or to prove that the prisoner is the identical person convicted by the Courts of the State which makes the requisition.

## ARTICLE XI.

In the examination which they have to make in accordance with the foregoing stipulations, the authorities of the State applied to shall admit as entirely valid evidence the sworn depositions or statements of witnesses taken in the other State, or

copies thereof, and likewise the warrants and sentences issued therein, provided such documents are signed or certified by a Judge, Magistrate, or officer of such State, and are authenticated by the oath of some witness, or by being sealed with the official seal of the Minister of Justice or some other Minister of State.

## ARTICLE XII.

If sufficient evidence for extradition be not produced within two months from the date of the apprehension of the fugitive, he shall be set at liberty.

## ARTICLE XIII.

All articles seized which were in the possession of the person to be surrendered at the time of his apprehension shall, if the competent authority of the State applied to for the extradition has ordered the delivery thereof, be given up when the extradition takes place; and the said delivery shall extend, not merely to the stolen articles, but to everything that may serve as a proof of the crime.

## ARTICLE XIV.

The High Contracting Parties renounce any claim for the reimbursement of the expenses incurred by them in the arrest and maintenance of the person to be surrendered and his conveyance till placed on board ship; they reciprocally agree to bear such expenses themselves.

## ARTICLE XV.

The stipulations of the present Treaty shall be applicable to the Colonies and foreign possessions of Her Britannic Majesty.

The requisition for the surrender of a fugitive criminal who has taken refuge in any of such

Colonies or foreign Possessions shall be made to the Governor or chief authority of such Colony or Possession by the Chief Consular Officer of the Republic of Honduras in such Colony or Possession.

Such requisition may be disposed of (subject always, as nearly as may be, to the provisions of this Treaty) by the said Governor or chief authority, who, however, shall be at liberty either to grant the surrender or to refer the matter to his Government.

Her Britannic Majesty shall, however, be at liberty to make special arrangements in the British Colonies and foreign Possessions for the surrender of Honduran criminals who may take refuge within such Colonies and foreign Possessions, on the basis, as nearly as may be, of the provisions of the present Treaty.

The requisition for the surrender of a fugitive criminal from any Colony or foreign Possession of Her Britannic Majesty shall be governed by the rules laid down in the preceding Articles of the present Treaty.

## ARTICLE XVI.

The present Treaty shall come into force ten days after its publication, in conformity with the forms prescribed by the laws of the High Contracting Parties. It may be terminated by either of the High Contracting Parties, but shall remain in force for six months after notice has been given for its termination.

The Treaty shall be ratified, and the ratifications shall be exchanged at Guatemala, in twelve months counted from this day.

In witness whereof the respective Plenipotentiaries have signed the same, and have affixed thereto the seal of their arms.

Done at Guatemala, the sixth day of the month of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

(L.S.) EDWIN CORBETT.

(L.S.) AGN. GOMEZ CARRILLO.

And whereas the ratifications of the Treaty were exchanged at Guatemala on the twelfth day of October last :

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, and in virtue of the authority committed to Her by the said recited Acts, doth order, and it is hereby ordered, that from and after the twenty-first day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, the said Acts shall apply in the case of the said Treaty with the President of the Republic of Honduras.

*C. L. Peel.*

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,  
the 5th day of *February*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament made and passed in the Session of Parliament holden in the thirty-third and thirty-fourth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for amending the law relating to the Extradition of Criminals," and also by an Act of Parliament made and passed in the Session of Parliament holden in the thirty-sixth and thirty-seventh years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to amend the Extradition Act, 1870," it was amongst other things enacted, that where an arrangement has been made with any foreign State with respect to the surrender to such State

of any fugitive criminals, Her Majesty may, by Order in Council, direct that the said Acts shall apply in the case of such foreign State ; and that Her Majesty may, by the same or any subsequent Order, limit the operation of the Order, and restrict the same to fugitive criminals who are in or suspected of being in the part of Her Majesty's dominions specified in the Order, and render the operation thereof subject to such conditions, exceptions, and qualifications as may be deemed expedient :

And whereas a Treaty was concluded on the seventh day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, between Her Majesty and the President of the Republic of Hayti, for the Mutual Extradition of Fugitive Criminals, which Treaty is in the terms following : —

HER Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and His Excellency the President of the Republic of Hayti, having judged it expedient, with a view to a better administration of justice, and to the prevention of crime within the two countries and their jurisdictions, that persons charged with or convicted of the crimes hereinafter enumerated, and being fugitives from justice, should, under certain circumstances be reciprocally delivered up ;

Her Britannic Majesty and the President of Hayti have named as their Plenipotentiaries to conclude a Treaty for this purpose, that is to say :

Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Spenser St. John, Esq., Minister-Resident and Consul-General of Her Britannic Majesty in the Republic of Hayti and Her Chargé d'Affaires in the Dominican Republic ;

And His Excellency the President of the Re-

public of Hayti, M. Surville Toussaint, ex-Senator ;

Who, after having communicated to each other their respective full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed upon and concluded the following Articles :—

### ARTICLE I.

The High Contracting Parties engage to deliver up to each other those persons who, being accused or convicted of a crime committed in the territory of the one Party, shall be found within the territory of the other Party, under the circumstances and conditions stated in the present Treaty.

### ARTICLE II.

The crimes for which the extradition is to be granted, are the following :—

1. Murder, or attempt to murder.
2. Manslaughter.
3. Counterfeiting or altering money, uttering or bringing into circulation counterfeit or altered money.
4. Forgery, or counterfeiting, or altering, or uttering what is forged or counterfeited or altered.
5. Embezzlement or larceny.
6. Obtaining money or goods by false pretences.
7. Malicious injury to property, if the offence be indictable.
8. Crimes against bankruptcy law.
9. Fraud by a bailee, banker, agent, factor, trustee, or director, or member or public officer of any company, made criminal by any law for the time being in force.
10. Perjury or subornation of perjury.
11. Rape.
12. Abduction.
13. Child-stealing.



14. False imprisonment.
15. Burglary or housebreaking.
16. Arson.
17. Robbery with violence.
18. Threats, by letter or otherwise, with intent to extort.
19. Piracy by law of nations.
20. Sinking or destroying a vessel at sea, or attempting or conspiring to do so.
21. Assaults on board a ship on the high seas with intent to destroy life, or to do grievous bodily harm.
22. Revolt or conspiracy to revolt by two or more persons on board a ship on the high seas, against the authority of the master.

The extradition is also to take place for participation in any of the aforesaid crimes, provided such participation be punishable by the laws of both the Contracting Parties.

### ARTICLE III.

No Haytian shall be delivered up by the Government of Hayti to the Government of the United Kingdom, and no subject of the United Kingdom shall be delivered up by the Government thereof to the Government of Hayti.

### ARTICLE IV.

The extradition shall not take place if the person claimed on the part of the Government of the United Kingdom, or the person claimed on the part of the Government of the Republic of Hayti, has already been tried and discharged, or punished, or is still under trial in Hayti or in the United Kingdom respectively, for the crime for which his extradition is demanded

If the person claimed on the part of the Government of the United Kingdom, or if the person



claimed on the part of the Government of the Republic of Hayti should be under examination for any other crime in Hayti or in the United Kingdom respectively, his extradition shall be deferred until the conclusion of the trial, and the full execution of any punishment awarded to him.

### ARTICLE V.

The extradition shall not take place if, subsequently to the commission of the crime, or the institution of the penal prosecution, or the conviction thereon, exemption from prosecution or punishment has been acquired by lapse of time, according to the laws of the State applied to.

### ARTICLE VI.

A fugitive criminal shall not be surrendered if the offence in respect of which his surrender is demanded is one of a political character, or if he prove that the requisition for his surrender has, in fact, been made with a view to try or punish him for an offence of a political character.

### ARTICLE VII.

A person surrendered can in no case be kept in prison, or be brought to trial in the State to which the surrender has been made, for any other crime or on account of any other matters than those for which the extradition shall have taken place.

This stipulation does not apply to crimes committed after the extradition.

### ARTICLE VIII.

The requisition for extradition shall be made through the Diplomatic Agents of the High Contracting Parties respectively.

The requisition for the extradition of an accused person must be accompanied by a warrant of arrest

issued by the competent authority of the State requiring the extradition, and by such evidence as, according to the laws of the place where the accused is found, would justify his arrest if the crime had been committed there.

If the requisition relates to a person already convicted, it must be accompanied by the sentence of condemnation passed against the convicted person by the competent Court of the State that makes the requisition for extradition.

A requisition for extradition cannot be founded on sentences passed *in contumaciam*.

## ARTICLE IX.

If the requisition for extradition be in accordance with the foregoing stipulations, the competent authorities of the State applied to shall proceed to the arrest of the fugitive.

The prisoner is then to be brought before a competent magistrate, who is to examine him, and to conduct the preliminary investigation of the case, just as if the apprehension had taken place for a crime committed in the same country.

## ARTICLE X.

The extradition shall not take place before the expiration of fifteen days from the apprehension, and then only if the evidence be found sufficient, according to the laws of the State applied to, either to justify the committal of the prisoner for trial, in case the crime had been committed in the territory of the said State, or to prove that the prisoner is the identical person convicted by the Courts of the State which makes the requisition.

## ARTICLE XI.

In the examinations which they have to make in accordance with the foregoing stipulations, the

authorities of the State applied to shall admit as entirely valid evidence the sworn depositions or statements of witnesses taken in the other State, or copies thereof, and likewise the warrants and sentences issued therein, provided such documents are signed or certified by a Judge, magistrate, or officer of such State, and are authenticated by the oath of some witnesses, or by being sealed with the official seal of the Minister of Justice or some other Minister of State.

### ARTICLE XII.

If sufficient evidence for the extradition be not produced within two months from the date of the apprehension of the fugitive, he shall be set at liberty.

### ARTICLE XIII.

All articles seized, which were in the possession of the person to be surrendered at the time of his apprehension, shall, if the competent authority of the State applied to for the extradition has ordered the delivery thereof, be given up when the extradition takes place, and the said delivery shall extend not merely to the stolen articles, but to everything which may serve as a proof of the crime.

### ARTICLE XIV.

The High Contracting Parties renounce any claim for the reimbursement of the expenses incurred by them in the arrest and maintenance of the person to be surrendered, and his conveyance till placed on board ship : they reciprocally agree to bear such expenses themselves.

### ARTICLE XV.

The stipulations of the present Treaty shall be applicable to the Colonies and foreign possessions of Her Britannic Majesty.

The requisition for the surrender of a fugitive criminal who has taken refuge in any of such Colonies or foreign possessions shall be made to the Governor or chief authority of such Colony or possession by the chief Consular Officer of Hayti in such Colony or possession.

Such requisitions may be disposed of, subject always, as nearly as may be, to the provisions of this Treaty, by the said Government or chief authority, who, however, shall be at liberty either to grant the surrender, or to refer the matter to his Government.

Her Britannic Majesty shall, however, be at liberty to make special arrangements in the British Colonies and foreign possessions for the surrender of Haytian criminals, who may take refuge within such Colonies and foreign possessions, on the basis, as nearly as may be, of the provisions of the present Treaty.

The requisition for the surrender of a fugitive criminal from any Colony or foreign possession of Her Britannic Majesty shall be governed by the rules laid down in the preceeding Articles of the present Treaty.

## ARTICLE XVI.

The present Treaty shall come into force ten days after its publication, in conformity with the forms prescribed by the laws of the High Contracting Parties. It may be terminated by either of the High Contracting Parties, but shall remain in force for six months after notice has been given for its termination.

The President of the Republic of Hayti engages to apply to the Senate for the necessary authorization to give effect to the present Treaty, immediately after its meeting.

The present Treaty shall be ratified, and the ratifications shall be exchanged as soon as possible.

In witness whereof the respective Plenipotentiaries have signed the same, and have affixed thereto the seals of their arms.

Done at Port au Prince, the seventh day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

(L.S.) SPENSER ST. JOHN.

(L.S.) SURVILLE TOUSSAINT.

And whereas the ratifications of the said Treaty were exchanged at Port au Prince on the second day of September last :

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, and in virtue of the authority committed to Her by the said recited Act, doth order, and it is hereby ordered, that from and after the twenty-first day of February one thousand eight hundred and seventy six, the said Acts shall apply in the case of the said Treaty with the President of the Republic of Hayti.

*C. L. Peel.*

*Crown Office, February 5, 1876.*

MEMBER returned to serve in the present  
PARLIAMENT.

*County of Dorset.*

The Honourable Edward Henry Trafalgar Digby,  
in the place of Henry Gerard Sturt, Esq., now  
a Peer of the United Kingdom.

*Admiralty, 4th February, 1876.*

The undermentioned Medical Officer on the  
Retired List has this day been promoted to the

honorary rank of Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets in Her Majesty's Fleet :—  
John Ward.

*Royal Naval Artillery Volunteers.*  
*London Corps.*

Commander William Henry Lewin (Retired List, Royal Navy) to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1876.

*Hastings Corps.*

T. Herbert Wadd, Esq., to be Surgeon. Dated 4th February, 1876.

*Admiralty, 7th February, 1876.*

*Royal Naval Artillery Volunteers.*  
*Hastings Corps.*

Commander Edward William John Hennah (Retired List, Royal Navy) to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 7th February, 1876.

*War Office, Pall Mall,*  
*8th February, 1876.*

*2nd Regiment of Life Guards*, Sub-Lieutenant Lord Henry John Vane-Tempest to be Lieutenant. Dated 26th July, 1875.

*2nd Dragoon Guards*, Lieutenant Francis James Ashburner to be Captain, vice B. Edmonds, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant, Westmoreland and Cumberland Yeomanry Cavalry. Dated 19th January, 1876.

Sub-Lieutenant Henry Clerk to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th August, 1875.

*6th Dragoon Guards*, Sub-Lieutenant Richard William Wickham to be Lieutenant. Dated 23rd April, 1875.

*5th Lancers*, Lieutenant Alexander Masters receives the value of a Cornetcy, on final transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 9th February, 1876.

Sub-Lieutenant Julian John Newton Spicer, to be Lieutenant. Dated 26th March, 1875.

*9th Lancers*, Lieutenant the Honourable Eustace Vesey to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant W. Percy, who has relinquished that appointment on obtaining sick leave from India. Dated 24th July, 1875, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to the 9th February, 1876.

*10th Hussars*, Sub-Lieutenant Beresford Stuart Crichton Loftus-Tottenham, from 106th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant H. H. R. Heath, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*12th Lancers*, Sub-Lieutenant Thomas Alexander Hill to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th April, 1875, but his Commission as Lieutenant in the Army to bear date 26th March, 1875.

*15th Hussars*, Sub-Lieutenant Henry Lawrence Daly, from the 56th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant E. D. H. Daly, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*17th Lancers*, Lieutenant Thomas Mack retires from the Service, receiving the value of a Cornetcy. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*19th Hussars*, The names of Lieutenant Hanford-Flood are John Compton Hanford-Flood, and not as hitherto stated.

*Grenadier Guards*, Lieutenant and Captain Charles Seymour Corkran to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, vice H. O. Gould, retired. Dated 19th January, 1876.



Sub-Lieutenant Cecil Francis William Fane, from the 12th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant and Captain H. G. Thornton, promoted. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*Coldstream Guards*, Lieutenant and Captain Henry Charles Adolphus Frederick William Aldenburg-Bentinck to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, vice V., Lord Cremorne, retired. Dated 19th January, 1876.

Sub-Lieutenant the Honourable Anthony Lucius Dawson, from the 98th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant and Captain Aldenburg-Bentinck. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*Brigade Depôts*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Henry Woodbine Parish, C.B., retires upon half-pay. Dated 9th February, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Henry Woodbine Parish, C.B., from half-pay, late Brigade Depôt, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*1st Foot*, Captain and Brevet Major William Newcomen Watts to be Major, vice W. G. Brown, retired. Dated 19th January, 1876.

Lieutenant Baron George Booth to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major W. N. Watts. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*2nd Foot*, The names of Lieutenant Hanford-Flood are Robert Thomas Hanford-Flood, and not as hitherto stated.

*8th Foot*, Lieutenant Henry Napier McRae receives the value of an Ensigncy, on final transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 9th February, 1876.

Sub-Lieutenant Llewellyn Salusbury Mellor to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th January, 1875.



- 10th Foot, Major George Ernest Bulger retires upon full-pay. Dated 9th February, 1876.
- 14th Foot, Lieutenant John Dove Bain resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1876.
- 17th Foot, Lieutenant Cuthbert Collingwood Denny retires from the Service, receiving the value of an Ensigncy. Dated 9th February, 1876.
- 20th Foot, The appointment of Sub-Lieutenant J. G. Glancy, from Unattached List, is cancelled. Dated 9th February, 1876.
- Sub-Lieutenant Horace William Scott, from the Unattached List, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant D. O'N. Power, promoted. Dated 11th February, 1875.
- 21st Foot, Captain Henry Feilden retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1876.
- 26th Foot, Lieutenant Charles William Atkinson retires from the Service, receiving the value of an Ensigncy. Dated 9th February, 1876.
- 34th Foot, Captain Sydney William Bell, from half-pay, late 81st Foot, to be Captain, vice J. O. Gage, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant Royal Westmoreland Militia. Dated 9th February, 1876.
- 45th Foot, Lieutenant George Alfred Jones to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant J. McCleverty, promoted. Dated 15th December, 1875.
- 46th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Keith Henry St. George Young, to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th December, 1874.
- 52nd Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Eustace Gambier Mansel to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th October, 1875.

*60th Foot*, The appointment as Adjutant of Lieutenant E. O. H. Wilkinson to be antedated to the 1st December, 1875.

*64th Foot*, Sub-Lieutenant Francis John Sayer Cator resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*65th Foot*, Lieutenant Alexander Thomas Weller receives the value of an Ensigncy on final transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 9th February, 1876.

Lieutenant Frederick Guy Vivian receives the value of an Ensigncy on final transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*68th Foot*, Captain Christopher Campbell Oldfield retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*71st Foot*, Lieutenant Alfred Donald Mackintosh to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant H. J. T. Hildyard, who resigns that appointment. Dated 1st October, 1875.

*73rd Foot*, The surname of the Sergeant-Major promoted to be Quartermaster in the Gazette of the 4th January, 1876, is *Haw*, and not *How*, as therein stated.

*84th Foot*, Lieutenant Arthur Theobald to be Captain, vice G. E. Montagu, retired. Dated 22nd May, 1875.

*85th Foot*, Lieutenant Edward Harry Goring Ravenhill to be Captain, vice G. J. S. Smith, retired. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*87th Foot*, Sub-Lieutenant Eyre Evans Stopford resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*88th Foot*, Lieutenant Sir George Albert de Hochepped-Larpent, Bart., to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant E. A. Brind, promoted. Dated 18th December, 1875.

*91st Foot*, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel James Buchanan Kirk to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel J. Sprot, retired upon half-pay. Dated 19th January, 1876.

Captain and Brevet Major William P. Gurney, from the Supernumerary List, to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel J. B. Kirk. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*100th Foot*, The appointment of Sub-Lieutenant H. W. Scott, from the Unattached List, is cancelled.

Sub-Lieutenant John Grogan Glancy, from the Unattached List, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant G. R. Hamilton, retired. Dated 11th February, 1875.

*101st Foot*, Captain Nelson Ellis to be Major, vice H. Le Champion, retired on half-pay. Dated 19th January, 1876.

Captain Richard Hamilton, from half-pay, late *27th Foot*, to be Captain, vice W. P. Holmes, transferred to the *103rd Foot*. Dated 9th February, 1876.

Lieutenant Henry Hare to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant T. Macleane, promoted. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*103rd Foot*, Captain William Prescod Holmes, from the *101st Foot*, to be Captain, vice W. H. Brind, made Supernumerary, whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant, Royal Dublin City Militia. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*105th Foot*, Lieutenant Charles Stafford Stephen Whitehill to be Instructor of Musketry, vice

Lieutenant G. H. Ferrier, promoted. Dated 20th December, 1875.

*Medical Department*, Surgeon Erskine Burnett Grant, M.D., to be Surgeon-Major, vice Walter Leach, retired upon temporary half-pay. Dated 20th November, 1875.

Surgeon William Robert Wall, to be Surgeon-Major, vice Donald Macgillivray Davidson, M.D., retired upon temporary half-pay. Dated 22nd November, 1875.

Surgeon John Ross Murray, M.D., to be Surgeon-Major, vice Charles Henry Leet, retired upon temporary half-pay. Dated 29th November, 1875.

Surgeon Caleb Sherar Wills, to be Surgeon-Major, vice John Madden, retired upon half-pay. Dated 10th December, 1875.

*Veterinary Department*, George Frederick Davis, Gent., to be Veterinary-Surgeon on probation, vice R. D. Graham, confirmed in his appointment. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*Army Service Corps*, Veterinary Surgeon of the First Class William Albert Russell, from the Royal Artillery, to be Veterinary Surgeon, vice Veterinary Surgeon of the First Class W. Death, promoted. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*Half-Pay*, Captain Joseph H. Fawcett, from the Supernumerary List, 1st Foot, to be Major. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*Unattached*, Captain Patrick Roddy, V.C., of the Bengal Unattached List, to be Major on the Bengal Unattached List. Dated 9th February, 1876.

### BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel Howard C. Dowker, Madras Staff Corps, having completed the qualifying service, to be Colonel. Dated 13th June, 1875.

Major George Ernest Bulger, 10th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel upon retiring on full-pay. Dated 9th February, 1876.

Captain Alexander Frederick Stewart, 23rd Foot, to be Major. Dated 5th July, 1872.

Quartermaster William Chinnery, Cavan Militia, to have the temporary rank of Quartermaster in the Army while doing duty with a Brigade Depôt. Dated 9th February, 1876.

The following alterations of date and promotions to take place in consequence of the promotion to the rank of Major-General, with pay from 22nd December, 1875, of Reserved Colonel Commandant W. G. Suther, C.B., Royal Marines :—

The Commission as Lieutenant-Colonel of Major E. T. Shiffner, 54th Foot, to be antedated to 22nd December, 1875.

Major Christopher Rowland Richardson, 76th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 23rd December, 1875.

The Commission as Major of Captain G. N. Pepper, 31st Foot, to be antedated to 22nd December, 1875.

Captain John Valentine Hesse, 58th Foot, to be Major. Dated 23rd December, 1875.

#### MEMORANDA.

Major and Brevet Colonel Sir Lumley Graham, Bart., half-pay, late 18th Foot, retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 1st January, 1876.

Captain and Brevet Major George Eugene Logan, half-pay, late 27th Foot, since deceased, retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 13th February, 1875.

*War Office, 3rd February, 1876.*

MEMORANDUM.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to approve of the Northumberland and Newcastle Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry being in future designated "*The Northumberland (Hussars) Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.*"

*War Office, 8th February, 1876.*

MILITIA.

*Royal Berks.*

Charles Lyons Markham Pearson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 9th February, 1876.

*Royal Cardigan.*

Sub-Lieutenant Hubert Rowland Pasley Durham resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*1st Royal Cheshire.*

Henry Howard France-Hayhurst, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*2nd, or South Devon.*

Gerald Francis Mockler, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*Dorset.*

Captain Edwin Burnett resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*The Essex Rifles.*

John Chandos-Pole, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*Royal Glamorgan.*

Henry Cockcroft Page-Henderson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 9th February, 1876.

*Royal North Gloucester.*

Sub-Lieutenant Arnold Hugh Butler resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*1st Royal Lancashire.*

Lieutenant Beverley William Reid Ussher resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*Royal South Lincoln.*

Sub-Lieutenant John Uppleby resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*Royal East Middlesex.*

George Charles D'Albiac, Esq., late Cornet, 3rd Dragoon Guards, to be Captain. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*2nd Middlesex or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment.*

Lieutenant Emilius Albert de Cosson to be Captain. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*2nd Somerset.*

Major George Rashleigh Edgell resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*Royal Sussex.*

Lieutenant John Ramsbotham resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1876.

Herbert Charles Young, Gent., to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 9th February, 1876.



Harvey Trewythen Brabazon Combe, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 9th February, 1876.

*The King's Own Royal Tower Hamlets.*

Captain Archibald William Harrison resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1876.

Sub-Lieutenant John Braine resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*East York.*

Henry Leslie Silvester, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*Yorkshire Artillery.*

Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel Henry Thomas Fyers resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1876.

Henry Thomas Fyers, Esq., late Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel, to be Honorary Colonel of the Regiment. Dated 9th February, 1876.

Captain Arthur Brooksbank to be Major, vice T. Nelson, resigned. Dated 9th February, 1876.

Lieutenant John Musgrave Tattersall Musgrave to be Captain, vice A. Brooksbank, promoted. Dated 9th February, 1876.

Stephen Francis Biddulph, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 9th February, 1876.

*Royal Perth.*

John Hanmer Kerr, Gent. to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 9th February, 1876.

*Royal Cork City Artillery.*

Charles Purdon Coote, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 9th February, 1876.



*Royal South Down.*

Captain Edward James Harris, 86th Foot, to be Adjutant. Dated 28th January, 1876.

Adjutant Edward James Harris to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 28th January, 1876.

*Kildare.*

Edward James Stuart Wortley, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 9th February, 1876.

*Leitrim.*

Captain James Fleetwood Rynd to be Major. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*Louth.*

Henry Cuthbert Denny, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 9th February, 1876.

*Queen's County.*

George William Marsh, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1876.

## YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

*Derbyshire.*

Captain and Adjutant James Mann resigns his Commission, and is placed on a retired allowance, also is granted the honorary rank of Major, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*Herts.*

Lieutenant Iltid Nicholl resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*Oxfordshire.*

Major the Honourable William Henry John North resigns his Commission, also is permitted

to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 9th February, 1876.

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*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Wilts.*

William Henry Poynder, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 2nd February, 1876.

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FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 11,*  
1876.

*Buckingham Palace, February 8, 1876.*

THIS day Her Majesty proceeded in state from Buckingham Palace to the House of Peers, where she arrived soon after two o'clock ; and was received on alighting from Her state carriage, by the Lord Chancellor, the Lord Privy Seal, the Deputy Lord Great Chamberlain (Lord Aveland), the Earl Marshal, Garter King of Arms, and Black Rod, and proceeded into the House in the usual order ;—The Crown was borne by the Duke of Northumberland, the Sword of State by the Duke of Richmond (Lord President of the Council), and the Cap of Maintenance by the Marquess of Winchester.

Her Majesty being seated on the Throne, and the Great Officers of State and others standing in their respective places on the right and left, Black Rod was sent with a message from Her Majesty to the House of Commons, commanding

their immediate attendance in the House of Peers. The Commons being come thither accordingly, Her Majesty was pleased to deliver to the Lord Chancellor the following most gracious Speech to both Houses of Parliament, which Her Majesty commanded his Lordship to read, and which he accordingly did :

*My Lords and Gentlemen,*

IT is with much satisfaction that I again resort to the advice and assistance of my Parliament.

My relations with all Foreign Powers continue to be of a cordial character.

The insurrectionary movement, which, during the last six months, has been maintained in the Turkish Provinces of Bosnia and Herzegovina, and which the troops of the Sultan have, up to the present time, been unable to repress, has excited the attention and interest of the great European Powers. I have considered it my duty not to stand aloof from the efforts now being made by allied and friendly Governments to bring about a pacification of the disturbed districts, and I have accordingly, while respecting the independence of the Porte, joined in urging on the Sultan the expediency of adopting such measures of administrative reform as may remove all reasonable cause of discontent on the part of his Christian subjects.

I have agreed to purchase, subject to your sanction, the shares which belonged to the Khedive of Egypt in the Suez Canal, and I rely with confidence on your enabling me to complete a transaction in which the public interests are deeply involved.

The representations which I addressed to the Chinese Government, as to the attack made in the course of last year on the expedition sent from Burmah to the Western Provinces of China, have

been received in a friendly spirit. The circumstances of that lamentable outrage are now the subject of an inquiry, in which I have thought it right to request that a member of my diplomatic service should take part. I await the result of this inquiry in the firm conviction that it will be so conducted as to lead to the discovery and punishment of the offenders.

Papers on all these subjects will be laid before you.

I am deeply thankful for the uninterrupted health which my dear son, the Prince of Wales, has enjoyed during his journey through India. The hearty affection with which he has been received by my Indian subjects of all classes and races assures me that they are happy under my rule, and loyal to my throne. At the time that the direct Government of my Indian Empire was transferred to the Crown no formal addition was made to the style and titles of the Sovereign. I have deemed the present a fitting opportunity for supplying this omission, and a Bill upon the subject will be presented to you.

The humane and enlightened policy consistently pursued by this country in putting an end to slavery within her own dependencies, and in suppressing the Slave Trade throughout the world, makes it important that the action of British national ships in the territorial waters of Foreign States should be in harmony with these great principles. I have, therefore, given directions for the issue of a Royal Commission to inquire into all treaty engagements and other international obligations bearing upon this subject, and all instructions from time to time issued to my naval officers, with a view to ascertain whether any steps ought to be taken to secure for my ships and their commanders abroad greater power for the maintenance of the right of personal liberty.

A Bill will be laid before you for punishing Slave Traders who are subjects of Native Indian Princes.

The affairs of my Colonial Empire, the general prosperity of which has continued to advance, have received a large share of my attention. Papers of importance and interest will soon be in your hands, showing the proceedings with respect to a Conference of the South African Colonies and States.

The murder of a high officer of the Straits Settlements whilst acting as Resident in a neighbouring Malay State, and the disorders ensuing on that outrage, have demanded the interference of my troops. I trust that the operations, which have been ably and energetically conducted, though not without the loss of some valuable lives, have restored order and re-established the just influence and authority of this country.

*Gentlemen of the House of Commons,*

I have directed the Estimates of the year to be prepared and presented to you without delay.

*My Lords and Gentlemen,*

Bills for regulating the Ultimate Tribunal of Appeal for the United Kingdom, and for the Amendment of the Merchant Shipping Laws, will be immediately submitted to you.

Legislation will be proposed relating to the Universities and to Primary Education.

Your attention will be called also to the Acts relating to the Inclosure of Commons, and to a measure for promoting economy and efficiency in the management of Prisons, and at the same time effecting a relief of local burthens.

Other important measures, as the time of the session permits, will be introduced to your notice ;

and I pray that your deliberations may, under the Divine blessing, result in the happiness and contentment of my people.

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*Foreign Office, January 25, 1876.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Edgar Leopold Layard, Esq., C.M.G., lately Her Majesty's Consul in the Fiji and Tonga Islands, to be Her Majesty's Consul in New Caledonia and its dependencies.

*Foreign Office, February 10, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to approve of M. Paul Dominique Chevrey-Rameau as Consul at Glasgow, and of M. Emile Laurent-Cochelet as Consul at Liverpool for the French Republic.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Handlanden H. Ferrer as Consul at Aden for His Majesty the King of Sweden and Norway.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. James Heyn as Consul at Belfast for His Majesty the King of the Belgians.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Henry Driver as Consul at Auckland for the United States of America.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Auguste Parrot as Consul for Australia, to reside at Sydney, and of Mr. Guillaume de Pury as Consul for Australia, to reside at Melbourne, for the Swiss Confederation.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of General Lino Duarte Revel as Consul at Port of Spain, Trinidad, for the United States of Venezuela.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Tomas Law as Consul at Glasgow, and of

Mr. J. H. Wolff as Consul at Southampton, for the Oriental Republic of the Uruguay.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Robert Schoell as Vice-Consul for the Port of London for the German Empire.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Don Thomas Elford as Vice-Consul at Swansea for the Republic of Peru.

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(H. 1144.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, February 10, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a translation of a Portuguese Government Notice declaring the port of Cienfuegos infected with, and all the other ports of the Island of Cuba suspected of, yellow fever since the 1st October last.

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*Admiralty, 8th February, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant William Douglas Walker has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank.

*Admiralty, 11th February, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Wellesley Gregory has been this day placed on the Retired List, with permission to assume the rank and title of Retired Commander.

Fleet Surgeon George Fletcher Banks has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 3rd instant.



*War Office, Pall Mall,*  
*11th February, 1876.*

The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Sub-Lieutenants :—

*4th Regiment of Hussars*, Sub-Lieutenant Charles Lancelot Andrewes Skinner, from the 5th Lancers, in succession to Lieutenant E. J. F. Wood, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 12th February, 1876.

Edwin William Exham, in succession to Lieutenant G. K. Deane, deceased. Dated 12th February, 1876.

*11th Hussars*, Hamilton William Broadley, in succession to Lieutenant F. G. Johnson, resigned. Dated 12th February, 1876.

*8th Foot*, Andrew Hugh George John Hervey (India Cadet), in succession to Lieutenant G. A. Money, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 12th February, 1876.

*14th Foot*, John Henry Howland Ansley (India Cadet), in succession to Lieutenant A. W. G. Gaussen, transferred to the 43rd Foot. Dated 12th February, 1876.

*15th Foot*, George Hay Montgomerie Conran (India Cadet), in succession to Lieutenant J. Crosslé, retired. Dated 12th February, 1876.

*43rd Foot*, Archibald Reginald Duncan (India Cadet), in succession to Lieutenant M. C. Spottiswoode, deceased. Dated 12th February, 1876.

Gordon Hugh Lumsden (India Cadet), in succession to Lieutenant J. S. Langlands, promoted. Dated 12th February, 1876.

*56th Foot*, Thomas Patrick Geoghegan, vice H. L. Daly, transferred to the 15th Hussars. Dated 12th February, 1876.



Duncan Thomas Cruickshank (Queen's Cadet), vice F. E. Grainger, superseded for absence without leave. Dated 12th February, 1876.

*59th Foot*, Charles Frederick Hastings Medhurst (Queen's Cadet), in succession to Lieutenant H. A. Wilson, retired on temporary half-pay. Dated 12th February, 1876.

*62nd Foot*, Edward Reginald Norcliffe Walton (Queen's Cadet), in succession to Lieutenant T. D. W. Dunn, promoted. Dated 12th February, 1876.

*73rd Foot*, Richard Brian De Kavanagh Boulger, in succession to Lieutenant J. B. Doncaster, promoted. Dated 12th February, 1876.

*85th Foot*, William Baume Capper, in succession to Lieutenant E. H. G. Ravenhill, promoted. Dated 12th February, 1876.

Ernest Henry Rivett-Carnac, in succession to Lieutenant C. F. D. Whish, retired. Dated 12th February, 1876.

*89th Foot*, Herbert Augustine Christopher Harrison, in succession to Lieutenant A. G. H. Hayne, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 12th February, 1876.

*109th Foot*, Frank Gun Delamain (India Cadet), in succession to Lieutenant S. C. F. Peile, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 12th February, 1876.

*Unattached List*, George Sholto Douglas. Dated 12th February, 1876.

Edward Altham Altham. Dated 12th February, 1876.

John William Robinson Parker. Dated 12th February, 1876.

Henry Ponting Northcott. Dated 12th February, 1876.

Thomas Armstrong Drought. Dated 12th February, 1876.

Edward Henry St. Lawrence Clarke. Dated 12th February, 1876.

John George Alexander Baird. Dated 12th February, 1876.

Edward Rawdon Penrose. Dated 12th February, 1876.

Robert Calverley Alington Bewicke Bewicke. Dated 12th February, 1876.

Ernest James Lennox Berkeley. Dated 12th February, 1876.

Francis Charles Stayner. Dated 12th February, 1876.

Alfred James Whitacre Allen. Dated 12th February, 1876.

Gabriel Goodman Walter Hayward. Dated 12th February, 1876.

Charles Stainforth Greenwood. Dated 12th February, 1876.

Sub-Lieutenant Frederiek John Coekayne Frith, from the Argyll and Bute Militia. Dated 12th February, 1876.

Sub-Lieutenant Edwin Del Sandys, from the Royal Ayr and Wigtown Militia. Dated 12th February, 1876.

Clifford Cruse. Dated 12th February, 1876.

John William Currie. Dated 12th February, 1876.

George Frederic Campbell Mackenzie. Dated 12th February, 1876.

George Francis Shaw. Dated 12th February, 1876.

Richard Charles Bernard Lawrence. Dated 12th February, 1876.

- Arthur Lionel Baker Hughes. Dated 12th February, 1876.
- Edward William Horne. Dated 12th February, 1876.
- Stewart Melvill Schneider. Dated 12th February, 1876.
- Henry Eardley-Wilmot. Dated 12th February, 1876.
- Herbert Morres Prior. Dated 12th February, 1876.
- William Frederick Turner. Dated 12th February, 1876.
- John Cyril Francis. Dated 12th February, 1876.
- Edward William Purvis. Dated 12th February, 1876.
- William Vieris Dickinson. Dated 12th February, 1876.
- Charles William Crosse. Dated 12th February, 1876.
- Robert Irvin Scallon. Dated 12th February, 1876.
- Robert Ludlow Coote Birch. Dated 12th February, 1876.
- Ernest Inglis. Dated 12th February, 1876.
- John Sutton Edward Western. Dated 12th February, 1876.
- John Sherston. Dated 12th February, 1876.
- Charles Henry Seddon. Dated 12th February, 1876.
- Francis Robert Henry Chapman. Dated 12th February, 1876.
- Peter William Browne. Dated 12th February, 1876.
- Charles King Colhoun. Dated 12th February, 1876.
- Morris Arthur Francis Taylor (India Cadet). Dated 12th February, 1876.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Stirling.*

The Right Honourable Lawrence Dundas, Earl of Zetland, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1876.

The Right Honourable Thomas John Hovell-Thurlow Cumming-Bruce, Baron Thurlow, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1876.

Henry David Erskine, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1876.

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FROM THE  
SUPPLEMENT

TO THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 11,*  
1876.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 12th day of  
*February*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

SHERIFFS appointed by Her Majesty in Council  
for the year 1876.

ENGLAND

(excepting Cornwall and Lancashire).

*Bedfordshire*,

George Sowerby, of Putteridge  
Bury, Luton, Esq.

*Berkshire*,

John Hargreaves, of Maiden  
Erleigh, near Reading, Esq.

<i>Buckinghamshire,</i>	Sir William Robert Clayton, of Harleyford, Great Mar- low, Bart.
<i>Cambridgeshire</i> and <i>Huntingdonshire,</i>	} Charles Isham Strong, of Thorpe Hall, Peterborough, Esq.
<i>Cheshire,</i>	John Baskervyle Glegg, of Withington Hall, Chelford, Esq.
<i>Cumberland,</i>	George John Johnson, of Castlesteads, Brampton, Esq.
<i>Derbyshire,</i>	Nathaniel Charles Curzon, of Etwall Hall, Esq.
<i>Devonshire,</i>	William Henry Peters, of Harefield, Esq.
<i>Dorsetshire,</i>	John Clavell Mansel-Pleydell, of Longthorns, Esq.
<i>Durham,</i>	Henry Edward Surtees, of Redworth House and Red- ford Grove, Esq.
<i>Essex,</i>	Christopher John Hume Tower, of Weald Hall, South Weald, Esq.
<i>Gloucestershire,</i>	Edmund Waller, of Farming- ton, near Northleach, Esq.
<i>Herefordshire,</i>	John Harding, of Tattenhall Lodge, Leamington, and the Lynch, Pembridge, Here- fordshire, Esq.
<i>Hertfordshire,</i>	John Gwyn-Jeffreys, of Ware Priory, Esq.
<i>Kent,</i>	Edward Loyd, of Lillesden, Hawkhurst, Esq.

<i>Leicestershire,</i>	Sir Alexander Beaumont Churchill Dixie, of Bos- worth Park, Bart.
<i>Lincolnshire,</i>	Sir John Henry Thorold, of Syston Park, Bart.
<i>Monmouthshire,</i>	Edward Kennard, of Blaenavon House, near Pontypool, Esq.
<i>Norfolk,</i>	Sir William Hovell Browne Ffolkes, of Hillington, Bart.
<i>Northamptonshire,</i>	Thomas William Rhodes, of Flore Fields, Esq.
<i>Northumberland,</i>	Calverley Bewicke, of Close House, Wylam - on - Tyne, Esq.
<i>Nottinghamshire,</i>	John Elliott Burnside, of Ged- ling, Esq.
<i>Oxfordshire,</i>	Holford Cotton Risley, of Deddington, Esq.
<i>Rutland,</i>	Edward Frewen, of Braun- ston, Esq.
<i>Shropshire,</i>	Arthur Mostyn Owen, of Woodhouse, Esq.
<i>Somersetshire,</i>	Henry Duncan Skrine, of Warleigh, Bathford, Bath, Esq.
<i>County of Southampton,</i>	} Richard Redfern Goodlad, of Hill Place, Droxford, Esq.
<i>Staffordshire,</i>	Richard Holt Briscoe, of Somer- ford Hall, Brewood, near Penkridge, Esq.
<i>Suffolk,</i>	Harry Spencer Waddington, of Cavenham Hall, Esq.

<i>Surrey,</i>	Charles Churchill, of Weybridge Park, Weybridge, Esq.
<i>Sussex,</i>	William Courtenay Morland, of Court Lodge, Lamberhurst, Esq.
<i>Warwickshire,</i>	William Stratford Dugdale, of Merevale, near Atherstone, Esq.
<i>Westmorland,</i>	Edward Balme Wheatley Balme, of High Close, Loughrigg, Ambleside, Esq.
<i>Wiltshire,</i>	William Henry Poynder, of Hartham, Chippenham, Esq.
<i>Worcestershire,</i>	George Wallace, of Eardiston, near Tenbury, Esq.
<i>Yorkshire,</i>	Henry Miles Stapylton, of Myton Hall, Esq.

## WALES.

## NORTH AND SOUTH.

<i>Anglesey,</i>	Lieutenant - Colonel Robert Bramston Smith, of Pencraig, Llangefni.
<i>Breconshire,</i>	Mordecai Jones, of Morganwg House, Brecon, Esq.
<i>Cardiganshire,</i>	George Griffiths Williams, of Wallog, near Aberystwith, Esq.
<i>Carmarthenshire,</i>	James Buckley, of Castellgorvod, Esq.
<i>Carnarvonshire,</i>	Robert Carreg, of Carreg, Esq.

<i>Denbighshire,</i>	Thomas Barnes, of The Quinta, Oswestry, Esq.
<i>Flintshire,</i>	Conwy Grenville Hercules Rowley Conwy, of Bod- rhyddan, Esq.
<i>Glamorganshire,</i>	Thomas Picton Turbervill, of Ewenny Abbey, Esq.
<i>Merionethshire,</i>	Thomas Taylor, of The Cliff, Esq.
<i>Montgomeryshire,</i>	Richard John Edmunds, of Edderton, Esq.
<i>Pembrokeshire,</i>	Charles Allen, of Tenby, Esq.
<i>Radnorshire,</i>	Sir Richard Green Price, of Norton Manor, Presteign, Bart.

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At the Court at *Windsor*, the 12th day of  
*February*, 1876.

### PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the civil administration of Her Majesty's Government has, of late years, been greatly extended :

And whereas the permanent officers by whom the clerical part of such administration is conducted, although necessarily divided into many Departments, have, in a great degree, similar duties to perform :

And whereas, in consideration of the premisses, various inquiries have been undertaken, and various measures have been founded upon them, both for the selection and for the classification of the said permanent officers ; of which measures the latest is



Her Majesty's Order in Council of 4 June, 1870, whereby, or by Orders and Regulations supplementary thereto, the selection of persons for Her Majesty's Civil Service is directed to be made principally by literary competition according to two standards of examination, and the persons so respectively selected are attached either to different Offices, or to Higher or Lower Divisions of the same Office, according to the examinations passed by them and the duties to be performed :

And whereas it appears from certain recent Reports made by the Right Honourable Lyon Playfair and others appointed by the Commissioners of the Treasury to be a Commission for inquiring into various questions connected with the organisation of Civil Departments of the State, that further regulations are required for the division of duties in Her Majesty's civil establishments, and for the selection, pay, and promotion of the officers entrusted with such duties :

Now, therefore. Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows :

1. A Lower Division of the Civil Service shall be constituted. It shall consist of Men Clerks and of Boy Clerks, engaged to serve in any Department of the State to which they may, from time to time, be appointed or transferred. *The term " Civil Service " in this paragraph, and the same term, and all equivalent terms, throughout this Order, mean such parts only of the said Service as are comprised in the first and second (excluding the third) of the said Reports.*

2. No Department throughout Her Majesty's Civil Service shall be permanently increased or regulated afresh, without providing for the introduction of a system whereby such of its duties as

are of a suitable character shall be performed by members of the Lower Division.

3. Such situations in Her Majesty's Civil Service as are not suitable to be filled up by members of the Lower Division are excluded from this present Order, and shall, until Her Majesty's further pleasure is declared, be regulated, as now, by the Heads of the Departments to which they belong, subject to approval by the Commissioners of the Treasury, and conformably to Her Majesty's Orders applicable to them.

4. Promotions shall continue to be made, and salaries to be paid, in the case of all Clerks now serving, in like manner as if this Order had never been issued. But no vacancies shall be filled up, nor any new appointments made in any Department, except by appointing Clerks of the Lower Division, until the Commissioners of the Treasury have been satisfied that the number of Clerks serving in such Department with higher salaries than those of the Lower Division is not in excess of the number sufficient to perform superior duties.

5. The Civil Service Commissioners shall at fixed intervals or whenever they may, with the previous approval of the Treasury, declare it to be necessary, hold competitive examinations for Men Clerks of the Lower Division, in the subjects included in the scheme of examination known as "Regulation II;" and for Boy Clerks of the Lower Division, in a more limited number of subjects.

Candidates for Men Clerkships must be over 17 and under 20 years of age. Candidates for Boy Clerkships must be over 15 and under 17 years of age.

6. Before any such examination is held, the number of permanent Clerkships likely to fall vacant within the next six months shall be esti-

mated by the Civil Service Commissioners. This number shall be increased by 10 per cent., and submitted to the Treasury for approval. When it has been approved, the Civil Service Commissioners shall deduct from it the number of unappointed persons (if any) qualified for appointments by previous examinations of the same kind, including examinations under Clause 11 of this Order ; and the remainder shall be the number of persons to be selected at the next ensuing examination. This number shall be published as part of the notice of every such examination.

7. A list of the competitors shall be made out, in the order of merit, up to this published number, if so many are found by the examination to be qualified for appointments in the Civil Service.

8. Each competitor named in a list shall remain thereon until he attains the age (if a man) of 25 years, and (if a boy) of 19 years, unless in the meantime he has been appointed to a situation in some public office.

Men on completing their 25th year, and boys on completing the 19th year of their ages respectively, or on receiving appointments, shall be removed from the list.

9. From these lists the Civil Service Commissioners, on the application of Departments having vacancies, may supply, on probation, the requisite Clerks, whether for permanent or temporary duty. Selections shall, as a general rule, be made by the Civil Service Commissioners according to the order of the names on the lists ; but the Civil Service Commissioners may select any Clerk who, in his examination, has shown special qualifications for any particular subject, among those included in "Regulation II," if special application for such a Clerk be made by any Department.

10. No clerk shall remain more than one year in any Department unless at the end of that time the Head of the Department shall signify in writing to the Civil Service Commissioners that the Clerk is accepted by the Department. If he is not accepted, the Department shall report to the said Commissioners the reasons for not accepting him ; and such Commissioners shall thereon supply another Clerk in his room, and shall decide whether the name of the rejected Clerk shall be struck off the list, as unfit for the Service generally, or whether he shall be allowed a trial in another Department.

11. Boy Clerks shall not be retained as such in any Department after completing their 19th year ; but they may, after two years (or, if admitted, after 17 years of age, one year) of good service, to be certified in writing by the Head of their Department to the Civil Service Commissioners, compete under " Regulation II," among themselves, for so many Men Clerkships of the Lower Division as shall not exceed one-fourth of the number of competitors.

The number of Men Clerkships reserved for such limited competitions shall be reckoned as part of the total number to be published, pursuant to Clause 6 of this Order.

Separate lists shall be made out of the competitors successful in the limited competitions, and selections for appointments to Men Clerkships shall (subject to Clause 9 of this Order) be made alternately from these lists and from the lists of competitors successful in the open competitions (Clause 5).

12. Appointments may be made *exceptionally* to the Lower Division of Clerks from the body of Writers serving before 4th June, 1870, if thoroughly qualified, and from those subsequently registered by

the Civil Service Commissioners; provided that the age of these latter did not exceed 30 years at the time of their being placed on the Register; that at the date of this present Order in Council, they have served as Registered Writers for a period of not less than three years; that they produce certificates from the Head of the Department in which they are serving that it is desirable, in the interest of the Public Service, to retain and employ them in that same Department; and that they prove their fitness by a Supplementary Examination.

13. The salaries of Men Clerks in the Lower Division shall commence at 80*l.*, and shall rise by triennial increments of 15*l.* to 200*l.* Provided that in any office in which a regular attendance of seven hours a day is required, the commencing salary may be 90*l.*, and the maximum salary may be 250*l.*

14. The triennial increments of salary to Men Clerks shall not be allowed in full without a certificate from the immediate superior of each Clerk, countersigned by the Head of the Department, or by such officer as he may designate for the purpose, to the effect that the Clerk's conduct has been in all respects satisfactory. In cases of demerit, a part, or the whole of the increment may be withheld, or deferred, according to circumstances.

15. The salaries of Boy Clerks shall begin at 14*s.* per week, and shall rise by 1*s.* per week per annum as long as they are employed.

16. Extra pay, not exceeding 100*l.* per annum, may be attached to certain situations open to Clerks of the Lower Division whose duties involve the superintendence of other Clerks, or are otherwise of a more distinctly responsible character than such as the generality of their colleagues have to perform. The number of such situations in each Department, and the amount of extra pay, subject

to the maximum of 100*l.*, to be assigned to each such situation, shall be fixed by the Head of the Department, with the consent of the Commissioners of the Treasury.

17. Situations carrying extra pay shall be conferred strictly according to positive merit, and not according to seniority.

18. Promotion from the Lower to the Higher Division of the Service shall not be made without a special certificate from the Civil Service Commissioners, to be granted exceptionally, after not less than ten years' service, upon a special recommendation from the Head of the Department, and with the assent of the Treasury ; and every such promotion, including such recommendation, certificate, and assent, shall be published in the London Gazette, and shall take effect only from and after the date of such publication.

19. Below the Lower Division of ordinary Clerks (including Boy Clerks) Men and Boy Copyists may be employed for mere copying, and for routine work under direct supervision, on the same conditions of service as those at present in force for Civil Service Writers (Men and Boys). Whenever it is possible, they shall be paid by piece-work, at rates to be fixed by the Civil Service Commissioners, with the consent of the Head of the Department, and of the Commissioners of the Treasury.

20. All appointments, promotions, and transfers from one office to another shall be notified to the Civil Service Commissioners as they are made, and shall by them be published together in the number of the London Gazette first issued in each month.

*C. L. Peel.*



FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 15,*  
 1876.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,*  
*February 15, 1876.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that The Queen will hold a Drawing Room at Buckingham Palace, on Wednesday, the 8th day of March next, at three o'clock.

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REGULATIONS  
 TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S DRAWING  
 ROOM AT BUCKINGHAM PALACE.

*By Her Majesty's Command.*

The Ladies, who propose to attend Her Majesty's Drawing Room, at Buckingham Palace, are requested to bring with them two large cards, with their names *clearly written* thereon, one to be left with the Queen's Page in Attendance, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to The Queen.

PRESENTATIONS.

Any Lady who proposes to be presented to The Queen must leave at the Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, *before twelve o'clock*, two clear days before the Drawing Room, a card with her name written thereon, and with the name of the Lady by whom she is to be presented. In order to carry out the

existing regulation, that no presentation can be made at a Drawing Room excepting by a Lady actually attending that Court, it is also necessary that an intimation from the Lady who is to make the presentation, of her intention to be present, should accompany the presentation card above referred to, which will be submitted to The Queen for Her Majesty's approbation. It is Her Majesty's Command, that no presentations shall be made at the Drawing Room, except in accordance with the above regulations.

It is particularly requested that in every case the names be *very distinctly written* upon the cards to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, in order that there may be no difficulty in announcing them to The Queen.

It is not expected that Gentlemen will present themselves at Drawing Rooms, except in attendance on the Ladies of their families.

Any Gentleman who under these circumstances should desire to be presented to The Queen, will observe the same regulations as are in force for Her Majesty's Levees.

The State Apartments will be open for the reception of Company coming to Court at two o'clock.

HERTFORD,  
Lord Chamberlain.

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*Duchy of Lancaster, February 12, 1876.*

THE Queen has been this day pleased to appoint Oliver Ormerod Walker, Esq., of Chesham, to be Sheriff of the County Palatine of Lancaster for the year ensuing.



At the Court at *Windsor*, the 12th day of  
*February, 1876.*

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased, on a representation of the Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Council on Education, to appoint Edward H. Burrows, Esquire, B.A., University College, Oxford, to be one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools.

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At the Court at *Windsor*, the 12th day of  
*February, 1876.*

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order that from and after the publication hereof in the London Gazette seamen not being slaves and not being British subjects who within Her Majesty's Dominions desert from merchant-ships belonging to the Kingdom of Greece shall be liable to be apprehended and carried on board their respective ships Provided always that if any such deserter has committed any crime in Her Majesty's Dominions he may be detained until he has been tried by a competent court and until his sentence (if any) has been fully carried into effect.

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*Windsor Castle, February 12, 1876.*

THIS day had audience of Her Majesty :—

Señor Doctor Don Antonio Quijarro, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the Republic of Bolivia, to deliver his Credentials ;

To which audience he was introduced by the

Earl of Derby, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

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*India Office, February 12, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Lord Lytton to be Governor-General of India.

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*Whitehall, February 14, 1876.*

THE Queen has been pleased to issue a Commission under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, to the effect following :—

**VICTORIA, R.**

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith :—To Our right trusty and right entirely-beloved Cousin and Councillor Edward Adolphus, Duke of Somerset, Knight of Our Most Noble Order of the Garter ; Our right trusty and well-beloved Councillor Sir Alexander James Edmund Cockburn, Baronet, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Lord Chief Justice of England ; Our right trusty and well-beloved Councillor Sir Robert Joseph Phillimore, Knight, Doctor of Laws, a Judge of Our High Court of Justice ; Our right trusty and well-beloved Councillor Montagu Bernard, Doctor of Civil Law, a Member of the Judicial Committee of Our Privy Council ; Our trusty and well-beloved Sir Thomas Dickson Archibald, Knight, one of the Judges of the Common Pleas Division of Our High Court of Justice ; Our trusty and well-beloved Alfred Henry Thesiger, Esquire (commonly called the Honourable Alfred Henry Thesiger), one of Our

Counsel learned in the Law ; Our trusty and well-beloved Sir Henry Thurstan Holland, Baronet, Companion of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George ; Our trusty and well-beloved Sir Leopold George Heath, Knight Commander of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Rear-Admiral on the Retired List of Our Fleet ; Our trusty and well-beloved Sir Henry James Sumner Maine, Knight Commander of Our Most Exalted Order of the Star of India ; Our trusty and well-beloved Sir George Campbell, Knight Commander of Our Most Exalted Order of the Star of India ; Our trusty and well-beloved James Fitzjames Stephen, Esquire, one of Our Counsel learned in the Law ; and Our trusty and well-beloved Henry Cadogan Rothery, Esquire, Our Registrar in Ecclesiastical and Admiralty Causes, greeting :

Whereas We have deemed it expedient that a Commission should forthwith issue to enquire into and report upon the nature and extent of such international obligations as are applicable to questions as to the reception of Fugitive Slaves by Our ships in the territorial waters of Foreign States, and into all instructions from time to time issued to the Commanders of Our ships relative thereto, and whether any engagements into which this country has entered bear upon such questions, and whether in case such obligations, instructions, or engagements shall appear to be at variance with the maintenance by Our ships and Officers in whatever waters they may be of the right of personal liberty, any and what steps should be taken to secure for them greater freedom of action in this respect.

Now know ye that We reposing great trust and confidence in your knowledge and ability have authorized and appointed, and do by these presents

authorize and appoint you the said Edward Adolphus Duke of Somerset, Sir Alexander James Edmund Cockburn, Sir Robert Joseph Phillimore, Montagu Bernard, Sir Thomas Dickson Archibald, Alfred Henry Thesiger, Sir Henry Thurstan Holland, Sir Leopold George Heath, Sir Henry James Summer Maine, Sir George Campbell, James Fitzjames Stephen, and Henry Cadogan Rothery, to be Our Commissioners for the purposes aforesaid.

And for the better effecting the purposes of this Our Commission, We do by these presents give and grant unto you, or any three or more of you, full power and authority to call before you such persons as you shall judge likely to afford you any information upon the subject of this Our Commission, and also to call for, have access to, and examine all such books, documents, registers, and records as may afford the fullest information on the subject, and to enquire of and concerning the premises by all other lawful ways and means whatsoever.

And We do by these presents will and ordain that this Our Commission shall continue in full force and virtue, and that you Our said Commissioners, or any three or more of you, may from time to time proceed in the execution thereof and of every matter and thing therein contained, although the same be not continued from time to time by adjournment.

And We further ordain that you, or any five or more of you, may have liberty to report your proceedings under this Commission, from time to time, if you shall judge it expedient so to do.

And Our further will and pleasure is, that you do, with as little delay as possible, report to Us, under your hands and seals, or under the hands and seals of any five or more of you, your opinion

upon the several points herein submitted for your consideration.

And for your assistance in the execution of these presents, We do hereby authorise and empower you to appoint a Secretary to this Our Commission to attend you, whose services and assistance We require you to use from time to time, as occasion may require.

Given at Our Court at *Saint James's*, the fourteenth day of *February*, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, in the thirty-ninth year of Our reign.

By Her Majesty's command,  
*Richard Assheton Cross.*

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*Crown Office, February 14, 1876.*

MEMBER returned to serve in the present  
PARLIAMENT.

*Borough of Burnley.*

Peter Rylands, of Massey Hall, Thetwall, Cheshire, Esq., in the place of Richard Shaw, Esq., deceased.

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*Board of Trade (Marine Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, February 11, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Madrid, enclosing the following translation of a Decree of the Spanish Government relative to the re-imbursement of fines levied on Foreign Shipmasters through the fault of Spanish Consular Officers abroad.

## Ministerio de Hacienda.—Royal Order.

SIR,

In view of the observations addressed to this Ministerio by the Ministerio de Estado, respecting the expediency of settling the manner in which the Treasury should re-imburse to the captains of foreign vessels fines imposed on them by the Custom-houses in those exceptional cases in which, after they have been paid, it shall be proved that the error which led to their infliction is due to mistakes made by our Consuls in foreign parts.

And considering that when owners, consignees, or captains of vessels render themselves liable to fines according to the Custom-house regulations through the fault of Spanish Consuls, it is not just or legal to impose any fine on them, or hold them liable to any punishment, since the responsibility rests with the agents of the administration who must account for it in the proper form.

His Majesty the King has graciously ordered:—

(1st.) That when it is proved that the error has been committed through the fault of the Spanish Consul, after the fines as fixed by law have been paid by the owners, consignees, or captains of vessels, the amount shall be at once returned to them, under the head of diminution of revenue unduly collected in the actual budget (if it be still open), and under the same head of closed budgets in the case of irresponsibility of persons fined appearing after the closing of the budget under which the fine may have been levied, and the repayment of the amount disbursed shall be required of the Consul, and this amount shall come into the Treasury under the head of final payments and reimbursements of all kinds and from all departments, notice being given in each case to the Ministry of State, in order that it may

claim reimbursement from the official who may have rendered himself responsible.

(2ndly.) That in accordance with this decision, the fines levied by the Custom-house at Cadiz on the captains of the American vessels "Hestin" and "Siciliani", amounting in the first case to 103 pesetas, and in the second to 78 pesetas 15 centimes, shall be returned to those individuals, notice thereof being given to the Ministry of State, in order that the repayment of the above sums to the Treasury may be required of the Spanish Consul at Boston, Mr. M. Suarez Juanes.

I inform you of this by Royal order, &c.

(Signed) SALAVERRIA.

Madrid, 8th January, 1876.

The Director-General of Customs.

(S. & C. 157.)

*Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall,  
February 14, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Decree of the Government of Venezuela, dated the 20th December last, suppressing the Maritime Custom-house of Deposit established in the Bay of Puerto Cabello by a Decree of the 16th March last.

*Admiralty, 7th February, 1876.*

The following qualified candidates for the Naval Medical Service have this day been appointed to be Surgeons in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 30th September, 1875 :—

Herbert Mackay Ellis.

Charles Albert Macaulay, M.D.

Patrick Curtin.

Christopher Pearson, M.D.

Robert Cochrane Mullins.



*Admiralty, 11th February, 1876.*

Staff Surgeon Alexander McBride has been this day promoted to the rank of Fleet Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 3rd February, 1876.

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FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 18,*  
1876.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 12th day of  
*February, 1876.*

THE Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order that from and after the first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six :—

The County Court of Glamorganshire, known by the name of "The County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Bridgend," shall cease to be holden at Cowbridge, in the said county of Glamorganshire.

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*Windsor Castle, February 12, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Miss Ethel Henrietta Mary Cadogan to be Extra Maid of Honour to Her Majesty.

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*Whitehall, February 16, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal, consti-

tuting and appointing the Right Honourable Benjamin Disraeli; the Right Honourable Sir Stafford Henry Northcote, Bart.; John Henry Crichton, Esq. (commonly called Viscount Crichton), Rowland Winn, Esq.; and Sir James Dalrymple Horn Elphinstone, Bart., to be Commissioners for executing the offices of Treasurer of the Exchequer of Great Britain, and Lord High Treasurer of Ireland.

*Whitehall, February 18, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the under-mentioned Gentlemen, and the respective heirs male of their bodies lawfully begotten, namely:—

John Henry Scourfield, of the Mote and of Williamston, both in the county of Pembroke, Esq.

Richard Thomas Gilpin, of Hockliffe Grange, in the county of Bedford, Esq.

John Leslie, of Glasslough, in the county of Monaghan, Esq.

Gilbert Greenall, of Walton Hall, in the parish of Runcorn, in the county palatine of Chester, Esq.

John Hardy, of Dunstall, in the county of Stafford, Esq.

John Walrond Walrond, of Bradfield and of Newcourt, both in the county of Devon, Esq.

Gerald William Henry Codrington, of Dodington, in the county of Gloucester, Esq.

*Buckingham Palace, February 18, 1876.*

His Royal Highness The Prince Leopold has been pleased to appoint Mr. Arnold Royle,

M.R.C.S., to be Surgeon in Ordinary to His Royal Highness.

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*Crown Office, February 16, 1876.*

MEMBERS returned to serve in the present  
PARLIAMENT.

*Borough of Leominster.*

Thomas Blake, Esq., of Lebanon, Ross, Herefordshire, in the place of Richard Arkwright, Esq., who has accepted the office of Steward of Her Majesty's Chiltern Hundreds.

*Borough of Huntingdon.*

The Right Honourable Edward George Henry Montagu (commonly called Viscount Hinchingbrook), Lieutenant-Colonel, in the place of Sir John Burgess Karslake, Knt., who has accepted the office of Steward of Her Majesty's Manor of Northstead.

*February 17.*

*Borough of Enniskillen.*

The Honourable John Henry Crichton (commonly called Viscount Crichton), one of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

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*Admiralty, 16th February, 1876.*

Lieutenant Lawrence Ching has been promoted to the rank of Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 14th February, 1876, in the haul-down promotion of Vice-Admiral the Honourable George F. Hastings, C.B., late Commander-in-Chief of Her Majesty's Ships and Vessels at Sheerness.

*Admiralty, 17th February, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Edward Phillips Statham has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

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*War Office, Pall Mall,  
18th February, 1876.*

*36th Regiment of Foot.*

Lieutenant-General Sir Charles William Dunbar Staveley, K.C.B., to be Colonel, in succession to Lieutenant-General Sir A. A. T. Cunyng-hame, K.C.B., appointed Colonel-Commandant of the 60th Foot. Dated 2nd February, 1876.

*60th Regiment of Foot.*

Lieutenant-General Sir Arthur Augustus Thurlow Cunyngname, K.C.B., from the 36th Foot, to be Colonel-Commandant, in succession to General Henry, Viscount Melville, G.C.B., deceased. Dated 2nd February, 1876.

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*War Office, 12th February, 1876.*

#### MEMORANDUM.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to approve of the 2nd Somerset Regiment of Militia being in future designated "*Light Infantry.*"

*War Office, 18th February, 1876.*

#### MILITIA.

*Royal Carnarvon.*

Sub-Lieutenant Henry Lennox Peel to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th April, 1874.  
1876. M

*1st Royal Cheshire.*

John Randle Minshall Ford, Esq., late Captain 8th Foot, to be Lieutenant. Dated 19th February, 1876.

*Royal Denbigh.*

Major John Barnett Barker resigns his Commission. Dated 19th February, 1876.

*1st Derby.*

Captain James O'Donnel Annesley resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 19th February, 1876.

*Royal South Gloucester.*

Henry Selwyn Goodlake, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 19th February, 1876.

*Hants, Isle of Wight Artillery.*

William Hastings Graham Gordon, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 19th February, 1876.

*West Kent.*

Lord George Montacute Nevill to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 19th February, 1876.

*1st Royal Lancashire.*

Major Bryan Thornhill is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 25th October, 1875.

*7th Royal Lancashire.*

Stanhope Beresford Littler Lister Inglis, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 19th February, 1876.

*Royal Elthorne or 5th Middlesex.*

Cecil Francis de Lys Eardley-Wilmot, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 19th February, 1876.

*3rd (King's Own) Stafford.*

Egerton Harding, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 19th February, 1876.

*West Suffolk.*

Captain Alfred Robert Jennins to be Major. Dated 19th February, 1876.

*2nd Warwick.*

Major Rice Davies Knight is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 19th February, 1876.

*Royal Wiltshire.*

Captain William Klingender, half-pay, late 16th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 19th February, 1876.

*4th West York.*

Captain and Honorary Major William Mather resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 19th February, 1876.

Lieutenant Wyatt William Turnor to be Captain, vice Mather, who resigns. Dated 19th February, 1876.

*The Highland Rifle.*

Lieutenant Francis Leveson Gower, Viscount Tarbat resigns his Commission. Dated 19th February, 1876.

Sub-Lieutenant Harry Wright to be Lieutenant. Dated 14th January, 1874.

Sub-Lieutenant Alfred Nevett Fletcher to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1874.

*South Cork.*

Lieutenant Thomas Hector Baylor resigns his Commission. Dated 19th February, 1876.

*Royal South Down.*

Captain Richard Ravenscroft Nelson is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 19th February, 1876.

*Westmeath.*

Major John Ballard Gardiner is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 19th February, 1876.

*Wexford.*

Captain Thomas Charge Wray, 18th Foot, to be Adjutant. Dated 1st February, 1876.

Adjutant Thomas Charge Wray to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 1st February, 1876.

## YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

*Ayrshire.*

Leveson Granville Campbell, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 19th February, 1876.

*Gloucestershire.*

Lieutenant Frederick Barclay Chapman to be Captain. Dated 19th February, 1876.

*Northumberland and Newcastle.*

Captain Charles Francis Shum resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 19th February, 1876.

*Nottinghamshire (Southern Nottinghamshire).*

Major John Chaworth Musters resigns his Commission. Dated 19th February, 1876.



*Crown Office, February 17, 1876.*

Days and Places appointed for holding the  
Spring Assizes, 1876.

### SOUTH-EASTERN CIRCUIT.

The Lord Chief Justice of the Common Pleas  
Division of the High Court of Justice.

Mr. Baron *Cleasby*.

*Sussex*, Wednesday, March 8, at Lewes.

*Kent*, Saturday, March 11, at Maidstone.

*Essex*, Friday, March 17, at Chelmsford.

*Hertfordshire*, Wednesday, March 22, at Hertford.

*Huntingdonshire*, Saturday, March 25, at Huntingdon.

*Cambridgeshire*, Monday, March 27, at the  
Shirehall.

*Suffolk*, Saturday, April 1, at Ipswich.

*Norfolk and County of the City of Norwich*,  
Friday, April 7, at Norwich.

### WESTERN CIRCUIT.

The Lord Chief Baron of the Exchequer Division  
of the High Court of Justice.

Mr. Justice *Denman*.

*Wiltshire*, Wednesday, March 1, at Devizes.

*County of Southampton*, Saturday, March 4, at  
Winchester.

*Dorsetshire*, Saturday, March 11, at Dorchester.

*Devonshire and County of the City of Exeter*,  
Wednesday, March 15, at Exeter.

*Cornwall*, Wednesday, March 22, at Bodmin.

*Somersetshire*, Monday, March 27, at Taunton.

*County of the City of Bristol*, Saturday, April 1,  
at the Guildhall.

## NORTH-EASTERN CIRCUIT.

Mr. Baron *Bramwell*.Mr. Justice *Mellor*.*Durham*, Monday, February 28, at *Durham*.*Northumberland and the County of the Town of Newcastle-upon-Tyne*, Monday, March 6, at *Newcastle-upon-Tyne*.*North and East Riding Division of Yorkshire and County of the City of York*, Monday, March 13, at *York*.*West Riding Division*, Monday, March 20, at *Leeds*.

## NORTHERN CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice *Blackburn*.Mr. Justice *Brett*.*Westmorland*, Monday, February 28, at *Appleby*.*Cumberland*, Tuesday, February 29, at *Carlisle*.*Lancashire*, Saturday, March 4, at *Lancaster*.*Lancashire*, Thursday, March 9, at *Manchester*.*Lancashire*, Wednesday, March 22, at *Liverpool*.

## NORTH AND SOUTH WALES CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice *Lush*.Mr. Justice *Grove*.

## NORTH WALES DIVISION.

*Cheshire*, Saturday, March 4, at *Chester*.*Flintshire*, Saturday, March 11, at *Mold*.*Denbighshire*, Wednesday, March 15, at *Ruthin*.*Anglesey*, Saturday, March 18, at *Beaumaris*.*Carnarvonshire*, Tuesday, March 21, at *Carnarvon*.*Merionethshire*, Friday, March 24, at *Dolgelly*.*Montgomeryshire*, Tuesday, March 28, at *Welshpool*.

## SOUTH WALES DIVISION.

*Radnorshire*, Saturday, March 11, at Presteign.  
*Brecknockshire*, Tuesday, March 14, at Brecon.  
*Cardiganshire and County of the Borough of Carmarthen*, Saturday, March 18, at Carmarthen.  
*Cardiganshire*, Thursday, March 23, at Cardigan.  
*Pembrokeshire and County of the Town of Haverfordwest*, Tuesday, March 28, at Haverfordwest.  
*Glamorganshire*, Saturday, April 1, at Cardiff.

## OXFORD CIRCUIT.

Mr. Baron *Amphlett*.

Mr. Justice *Field*.

*Berkshire*, Wednesday, March 1, at Reading.  
*Oxfordshire*, Monday, March 6, at Oxford.  
*Worcestershire and County of the City of Worcester*, Thursday, March 9, at Worcester.  
*Staffordshire*, Wednesday, March 15, at Stafford.  
*Salop*, Friday, March 24, at Shrewsbury.  
*Herefordshire*, Wednesday, March 29, at Hereford.  
*Monmouthshire*, Saturday, April 1, at Monmouth.  
*Gloucestershire and County of the City of Gloucester*, Thursday, April 6, at Gloucester.

## MIDLAND CIRCUIT.

Mr. Baron *Huddleston*.

Mr. Justice *Lindley*.

*Buckinghamshire*, Wednesday, March 1, at Aylesbury.  
*Bedfordshire*, Saturday, March 4, at Bedford.  
*Northamptonshire*, Wednesday, March 8, at Northampton.  
*County of Leicester and Borough of Leicester*, Saturday, March 11, at Leicester.  
*Rutlandshire*, Wednesday, March 15, at Oakham.

*Lincolnshire and County of the City of Lincoln,*  
Thursday, March 16, at Lincoln.

*Nottinghamshire and County of the Town of Nottingham,* Wednesday, March 22, at Nottingham.

*Derbyshire,* Tuesday, March 28, at Derby.

*Warwickshire,* Saturday, April 1, at Warwick.

NOTE.—The Lord Chief Justice of England will, with one of the other Judges remaining in town, open the Commission for—

*Surrey,* On Monday, March 27, at Kingston-upon-Thames.

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*Treasury Chambers, February 15, 1867.*

THE Chief Registrar of Friendly Societies, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby gives notice that the following situations are added to Schedule A of the Order in Council of the 4th June, 1870, viz. :—

The situations of Clerk and of Copying Clerk in the Registry of Friendly Societies.

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FROM THE  
SUPPLEMENT  
TO THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 18,*  
1876.

*War Office, February 18, 1876.*

THE following Despatch and enclosures have

been received by the Secretary of State for War from the Major-General Commanding Her Majesty's Forces in China and the Straits Settlements :—

*Camp, Qualla Kangsa,*

SIR,

*January 5, 1876.*

I HAVE the honour to report that yesterday morning the force as per margin\* was taken by me, for the purpose of disarming the village of Kota Lama,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles distant, on the opposite side of the Perak River.

This village, in July last, was visited by Mr. Birch, when the inhabitants came down in considerable numbers, loading their arms, and warning him not to come near. Having no force with him, he was obliged to withdraw.

For long this village has been the haunt of all the worst disposed and turbulent Malays. The Queen's Commissioner, deeming it necessary to disarm the inhabitants and to destroy the houses or certain known leaders, I made the following arrangements.

The village of Kota Lama is on the left bank of the river. Lieutenant-Colonel Cox crossed with his party in boats, and moved up the bank a little more than a mile, when he extended the men, the left of the line keeping close to the river, and skirmished through the village.

Mr. Maxwell, Deputy-Commissioner, accompanied Lieutenant-Colonel Cox.

Captain Young moved his party in a similar manner up the right bank, to a village of the same

\* Left bank, under Lieutenant-Colonel Cox.—Royal Artillery, 12 men and 1 gun; the Buffs, 10 men; 1st Goorkhas, 25 men.

Right bank, under Captain Young.—The Buffs, 50 men; 1st Goorkhas, 20 men.

In three boats, under Captain Garforth.—3 officers and 29 men.

name ; his orders were to collect any arms, but not to destroy or injure houses or property, as the inhabitants have been well disposed.

Captain Speedy, Assistant - Commissioner, accompanied Captain Young.

Major McNair, I, and my staff went with Captain Garforth's party of the Naval Brigade.

We landed on the left bank just above the village, and, leaving a few blue jackets in charge of the boats,, we moved in the direction of the village, expecting there to find Lieutenant-Colonel Cox's party.

Twenty bluejackets landed with us, and we were joined by Lieutenant Hare, R.E., with 4 Goorkhas, who had been assisting him to measure the distance along the bank.

We proceeded some distance before we came to some houses which I desired should be searched for arms they were, with few exceptions, deserted ; after about an hour and a half we came upon several houses close to each other, the largest being occupied by women and children.

It being necessary to ascertain whether any men also were in it, Major McNair sent in two of his Malay followers, and himself looked in.

After satisfying himself that there were only women and children, he had just got down from the steps, telling those inside not to be alarmed as they would not be harmed, when we heard several shots, and from a jungle close by some 50 Malays rushed out upon us, a few with fire-arms and the rest with spears.

The attack was so sudden that we were almost surrounded and had to retire.

The conduct of the marines and sailors was deserving of all praise. If it had not been for their steadiness few if any of us would have escaped.

As it was I regret to say that our loss was heavy in proportion to the numbers engaged. A report with return of casualties is attached.

Just before this attack was made several officers moved away in the direction of the river, two hundred yards distant. Major Hawkins was, it is supposed, following them when he was fatally wounded with a spear. No one seems to have seen him fall, but Captain Garforth reports that William Sloper, A.B., came up to him on the ground, shot two Malays who were coming towards him, and stopped with him until Major Hawkins said "Save yourself ; you can do me no good now."

Major Heathcoate, who with Captain Badcock, Lieutenant Preston, and Major Twigge, had gone on in front of Major Hawkins towards the river, turned back with these officers and tried to move them, but they had to fall back to the river, before the superior numbers who were getting round them.

Surgeon Townsend was the first to be assailed, he being a little advanced ; three Malays assailed him with spears, the centre one he shot with his pistol, and the man falling forward upon him knocked him down. The other two Malays were driving at him when Harry Bennett, A.B., and William Thompson, A.B., rushed forward and killed them both.

The conduct of the three blue jackets above-named has been specially brought to my notice, but all behaved admirably in a very difficult position, and very great credit is due to the three officers, Captain Garforth, Lieutenant Wood, and Sub-Lieutenant Poar, who directed and led them.

Lieutenant-Colonel Cox's party had gone all over the ground on which this occurred, and it is supposed that our opponents must have made for the jungle on the approach of the skirmishers, and



returned after they had passed. Lieutenant-Colonel Cox returned through the village in the same order, and having destroyed every house that he passed, arrived here about half-past two o'clock, without firing a shot.

Captain Young's party returned about the same time without having met with any opposition.

The bodies of five Malays were found, and I have reason to believe that their loss must have been greater.

The close and hand-to-hand nature of the engagement is shown by all the casualties having been caused by spear wounds.

I have, &c.

(Signed) J. ROSS,  
Brigadier-General, &c.

P.S.—A large quantity of arms, spears, muskets, and small wall-pieces were taken, and a large iron 12-pounder gun was spiked and thrown into the river. A list of arms taken shall be forwarded.

(Signed) J. ROSS,  
Brigadier-General.

*Major-General the Honourable  
F. Colborne, C.B., &c., &c.*

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*Head Quarters, Camp, Qualla Kangsa,  
January 4, 1876.*

SIR, I HAVE the honour to forward for your information a list of the killed and wounded at the assault on the village of Kota Lama :—

*Killed.*

Major Hawkins, Brigade Major, spear wound two inches below the apex of heart ; spear trans-

fixing the chest and lungs, passing downwards and wounding diaphragm and liver, passing out below 10th and 11th rib at right side.

Seaman Gunner William G. Loam, H.M.S. "Philomel," spear wound of right side of spine, transfixing chest, and having its exit five inches below the right nipple.

Sumber Bisananth, Sepoy, 1st Goorkhas, spear wound left side, wounding spleen and transfixing the abdomen a little to the left of the uniform cartilage.

### *Wounded.*

Surgeon Townshend, A.M.D., severe spear wound middle thira of right arm; slight spear wound of right leg.

Private Jasper Ball, R.M., double spear wound at epigastrium, protrusion of intestines and omentum, spear wound at middle of left arm, and another of left hand.

Sujoo Mappa, Sepoy, 1st Goorkhas, severe spear wound of right fore arm.

Serwick Sing Tappah, Sepoy, 1st Goorkhas, severe spear wound of right fore-arm.

The severity of the spear wounds, in all the fatal cases completely transfixing the body, and the fact of the men having been wounded in several places, show the close quarters that the force fought at, and the determined resistance of the Malay.

I have, &c.,

(Signed)

WILLIAM COLLIS,  
Surgeon-Major, the Buffs,  
P. M. O. Larút Field Force.

*To Brigadier-General Ross, C.B.,  
Commanding Larút Field Force.*

FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 22,*  
 1876.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, February 22, 1876.*

ORDERS for the Court's going into Mourning on Friday next, the 25th instant, for Her late Imperial Highness The Grand Duchess Marie Nicolaïevna, Sister of His Imperial Majesty The Emperor of Russia ; viz. :—

The Ladies to wear black Dresses, white Gloves, black or white Shoes, Feathers, and Fans, Pearls, Diamonds, or plain gold or silver Ornaments.

The Gentlemen to wear black Court Dress, with black Swords and Buckles.

The Court to change the Mourning on Monday, the 28th instant ; viz. :—

The Ladies to wear black Dresses, with coloured Ribbons, Flowers, Feathers, and Ornaments, or grey or white Dresses, with black Ribbons, Flowers, Feathers, and Ornaments.

The Gentlemen to continue the same Mourning.

And on Friday, the 3rd of March, the Court to go out of Mourning.

*Colonial Office, Downing Street,*  
*February 19, 1876.*

THE Queen has been pleased to make the following appointments to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George :

To be an Ordinary Member of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the said Order :—

The Right Honourable William Henry Gregory,  
Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the  
Island of Ceylon, and its Dependencies.

To be Ordinary Members of the Third Class,  
or Companions of the said Order :—

Arthur N. Birch, Esq., Colonial Secretary for  
the Island of Ceylon.

John Douglas, Esq., Auditor and Accountant-  
General and Controller of the Revenue for  
the said Island of Ceylon.

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*Whitehall, February 19, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to nominate the  
Reverend Jonas Stott, B.A., to the Consolidated  
Chapelry of Bransdale-cum-Farndale, in the  
North Riding of the county of York, and diocese  
of York.

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*Crown Office, February 19, 1876.*

MEMBER returned to serve in the present  
PARLIAMENT.

*City of Manchester.*

Jacob Bright, of Alderley Edge, Chorley, Che-  
shire, Manufacturer, in the place of William  
Romaine Callender, Esq., deceased.

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(S. & C. 271.)

*Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall,  
February 21, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received from the  
Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch

from Her Majesty's Consul at Bilbao, reporting that iron ore may now be shipped in that port, subject however to a temporary restriction on certain deposits of mineral at Galindo and Ortuella, respecting the ownership of which there are doubts. Her Majesty's Consul further reports that the neighbourhood of Bilbao is at present free from Carlists, and that vessels could load there without being subjected to any inconvenience or danger.

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*Admiralty, 19th February, 1876.*

The undermentioned Surgeons have this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet:—

Thomas Hall Atkinson.

George Maclean, M.B.

Edward Meade.

Henry Dawson Stanistreet.

Adam Robertson, M.D.

Robert Hall More, M.D.

Edward Julian Sharood, M.D.

John Horrocks, M.D.

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*War Office, 22nd February, 1876.*

# MILITIA.

## *1st Royal Cheshire.*

Sub-Lieutenant Harry Fortescue, from the Essex Rifles Militia, to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice D. C. W. Lysons, who exchanges. Dated 23rd February, 1876.

*The Royal Cornwall Rangers, Duke of Cornwall's Own.*

Henry Bridgeman Henderson Lethbridge, Gent.,

to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 23rd February, 1876.

James Henry Aspinwall, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 23rd February, 1876.

*1st Devon.*

Sub-Lieutenant Herbert Creyke Furneaux resigns his Commission. Dated 23rd February, 1876.

*The Essex Rifles.*

Sub-Lieutenant Daniel Charles William Lysons, from the 1st Royal Cheshire Militia, to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice H. Fortescue, who exchanges. Dated 23rd February, 1876.

*Kent Artillery.*

Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel John Farnaby Lennard resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 23rd February, 1876.

*3rd Royal Lancashire.*

Anthony Vincent Maclaine, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 23rd February, 1876.

*4th Royal Lancashire.*

Sub-Lieutenant Edward John Salusbury Brown resigns his Commission. Dated 23rd February, 1876.

*Royal North Lincoln.*

Captain Richard Coupland Bergne - Coupland resigns his Commission. Dated 23rd February, 1876.

*Royal East Middlesex.*

Harry George Smith Richard Pattinson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumcrary). Dated 23rd February, 1876.

*Royal Elthorne or 5th Middlesex.*

Captain James Richard Knox Tredennick, 57th Foot, to be Adjutant. Dated 11th February, 1876.

Adjutant James Richard Knox Tredennick to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 11th February, 1876.

*The (King's Own) 1st Stafford.*

Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel Cecil Newton Lane, C.M.G., resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 23rd February, 1876.

*3rd (King's Own) Stafford.*

Captain the Honourable William Monk Jervis resigns his Commission. Dated 23rd February, 1876.

Sub-Lieutenant Charles Francis Adderley Noel to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th April, 1874.

*1st Royal Surrey.*

Sub-Lieutenant William Arthur Hoare Smith to be Lieutenant. Dated 14th January, 1874.

*3rd Royal Surrey.*

Edward William Chambers, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 23rd February, 1876.

*The King's Own Royal Tower Hamlets.*

Sub-Lieutenant William Oliver Jackson resigns his Commission. Dated 23rd February, 1876.

*The Queen's Own Royal Tower Hamlets.*

Sub-Lieutenant Horatio Peile Robinson resigns his Commission. Dated 23rd February, 1876.

Gervase Kirton Torry, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 23rd February, 1876.



*Worcester.*

Robert Valentine Bourne, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 23rd February, 1876.

*East York.*

Francis Fraser, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 23rd February, 1876.

*Royal Ayr and Wigtown.*

James Douglas Baird, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 23rd February, 1876.

Quartermaster William Weir resigns his Commission, and is placed on a retired allowance. Dated 23rd February, 1876.

*Forfar and Kincardine Artillery.*

Claude Hervey Bathurst, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 23rd February, 1876.

*Haddington, Berwick, Linlithgow, and Peebles Artillery.*

John Cotgrave Innes, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 23rd February, 1876.

*Royal Perth.*

Lieutenant William Nairne to be Captain, vice G. Muirhead, resigned. Dated 23rd February, 1876.

*Donegal.*

Sub - Lieutenant James Henry Brooke Todd Thornton to be Lieutenant. Dated 18th April, 1874.

*Louth.*

Lieutenant the Honourable Frederick Lawless resigns his Commission. Dated 23rd February, 1876.

*North Tipperary.*

Sub-Lieutenant George Frend to be Lieutenant.  
Dated 18th April, 1874.

## YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

*Nottinghamshire (Sherwood Rangers).*

William Walter Humphreys Hollins, Gent., to be  
Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 23rd  
February, 1876.

*Warwickshire.*

Lieutenant Edward Raleigh King to be Major  
(Supernumerary). Dated 23rd February, 1876.

*Royal Wiltshire.*

Charles Frederick Brudenell Bruce, Gent., to be  
Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 23rd  
February, 1876.

Walter Hume Long, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant  
(Supernumerary). Dated 23rd February, 1876.

Henry Bruce Meux, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant  
(Supernumerary). Dated 23rd February, 1876.

*1st West York.*

Lieutenant Viscount Pollington resigns his Com-  
mission. Dated 23rd February, 1876.

John William Denne Johnson, late Lieutenant  
21st Hussars, to be Lieutenant. Dated 23rd  
February, 1876.

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*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the  
County of Kent. and of the City and County of  
the City of Canterbury.*

Sir Courtenay Honynwood, Bart., to be Deputy  
Lieutenant. Dated 17th February, 1876.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.*

Robert Ireland Blackburne, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 16th February, 1876.

William Housman Higgin, Esq., Q.C., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 16th February, 1876.

[The following Appointment is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of the 9th April, 1869.]

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, and of the City and County of the City of Canterbury*

*East Kent Regiment of Militia.*

Renton George Felix Poynton, Esq., late Captain 87th Foot, to be Captain, vice Gillett, resigned. Dated 5th April, 1869.

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FROM THE  
SUPPLEMENT  
TO THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 22,*  
1876.

*Admiralty, February 22, 1876.*

THE following Despatches have been received by the Secretary of the Admiralty from Vice-

Admiral Alfred P. Ryder, Commander-in-Chief  
on the China Station :—

THE SERVICES OF THE ROYAL NAVAL BRIGADE  
IN THE MALAY PENINSULA.

*“ Audacious,” at Singapore,*

SIR,

*January 17, 1876.*

THE letters from Commander Francis Stirling, of Her Majesty's ship “Thistle,” which I transmitted for the information of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, in my letters No. 406 of 25th November last, and No. 425 of 8th December, 1875, will have informed their Lordships of the state of affairs in the Malay Peninsula and the services rendered by the Naval Forces taking part in the operations up to the 16th November, 1875.

2. Captain Alexander Buller, in Her Majesty's ship “Modeste,” having arrived on the scene shortly after that date, assumed the direction of the naval operations, and his letters, dated the 19th and 29th December, 1875, which he informs me he sent direct to their Lordships, will have carried up the account to the latter date.

3. I have now the honour to transmit for the information of their Lordships, a copy of a general letter from Captain Buller, dated the 8th January, 1876, summarizing the services of the Naval Brigades and the ships under his orders, and reporting the re-embarkation of the brigades.

4. At the same time, I transmit to be laid before their Lordships reports of proceedings from Commander Edmund St. J. Garforth, of the “Philomel,” dated 13th December, 1875, and 5th January, 1876, showing the services performed by the Naval Brigade under his command attached to the Laroot Field Force, and employed up the river of that name, and also reports of

proceedings from Commander Francis Stirling, of Her Majesty's ship "Thistle," dated the 21st December, 1875, and 7th January, 1876, showing the services performed by a third Naval Brigade under his command, which penetrated in Sunghie Ujong, and was employed on the Linghie and Lukut rivers.

I should mention here that on Captain Buller's arrival in the Perak River the Naval Brigade, which had been landed under Commander Stirling, was re-embarked, and the ship was sent down to carry troops to Malacca, on account of disturbances in Sunghie Ujong.

5. There were thus three Naval Brigades attached to different forces: That under Captain Alexander Buller, accompanied by Commander Uvedale C. Singleton, of the "Ringdove," and comprising officers and men of the "Modeste" and "Ringdove," which co-operated with Major-General Colborne on the Perak River; that under Commander Edmund St. J. Garforth, of the "Philomel," comprising officers and men of the "Modeste," "Philomel," and "Ringdove," which co-operated with Brigadier-General Ross in the Laroot Field Force (northern attack); and that under Commander Francis Stirling, of Her Majesty's ship "Thistle," which co-operated with Lieutenant-Colonel Hill in Sunghie Ujong, and in the Sunghie and Lakut Rivers.

6. In addition to this, a blockade of the coast north of the Perak River, to prevent the ingress of arms and provisions, was established under the direction of Commander John Bruce, of Her Majesty's ship "Fly."

7. The services of the various Naval Brigades appear to have been highly appreciated by Major-General Colborne, Brigadier-General Ross, and the Colonels commanding the various corps to

which the Brigades were attached. The naval officers and men were fortunate in being employed on expeditions calculated to call fully into play their sailorlike qualities.

8. The heavy work performed by our seamen in the Perak consisted in poling (oars were no use) numerous boats laden with guns, ammunition, and stores for many consecutive days against a strong current (4 knots), the river being very shallow, but full of deep holes, under a broiling sun (latitude  $3^{\circ}$  N.), and in carrying guns, rockets, and ammunition, in addition to their own accoutrements, through the jungle over roads so nearly impassable, that only 7 miles could be gained each day.

9. The rapidity of the successes of the various expeditions was owing, I learn from officers of rank who have reached Singapore from the front, mainly to the special and professional nature of the aid given by the Naval Brigades as rocket and gun parties, and in fitting and managing the country boats, which alone could be used.

10. It has been most gratifying to me to hear from all quarters only one opinion of the conduct of the Blue Jackets and Marines, their constant cheerfulness in undertaking the heavy daily work which fell to their share, their intelligence and zeal. I have not received a single complaint of their conduct.

11. For nearly a month the brigade under Captain Buller had nothing to eat but preserved meat, supplemented occasionally by wild buffalo—no vegetables or bread; the men were constantly wet through by rain, they had frequently to wade through water and mud over their waists. For the last three days of their advance on Kinta they had to thread their way in a thick jungle, which, during the whole of that time, allowed them no

sight of the sky. During the ten days' advance they had no cover of any kind, but slept in the "open." Captain Buller attributes their entire immunity from any disease previous to the attack on Kinta to his having fortunately been able to provide them with waterproof sheets, the great importance of which in a tropical campaign I had pressed on his attention previous to his departure from Shanghai some months ago.

12. I am very glad that I was able to detach so strong a force to the south, as there was not a man too many for the work that had to be carried out by the Naval Brigade.

13. It is my pleasant duty to draw their Lordships' attention to the names of those officers who were fortunately placed in positions where their good qualities were brought prominently into notice. Captain Buller mentions with praise the Commanders, and they have specially named various officers who accompanied them. I alone can speak of Captain Buller. He has been throughout the service of several weeks with Major-General Colborne. They have co-operated in the most cordial manner. Captain Buller, while engaged with the expedition that penetrated furthest into the country, had to make such arrangements regarding the other brigades, the blockade of the coast, &c., as were best calculated to be conducive to the general success of the joint operations.

14. I cannot too strongly recommend Captain Buller to their Lordships' favourable consideration. By his forethought and skill in organization he has contributed largely to the successes of the various expeditions, which successes it was, for obvious reasons, most essential should be promptly attained at all points without check.

15. Commander Stirling's complete success at



Passir Sala, as detailed in his letter of 16th November, 1875, forwarded to their Lordships in my letter, No. 425, of 8 December, 1875, pointed out what was the best method of attacking the enemy, which, when followed, always led to success without loss.

The expedition of 14 days to Sunghie Ujong, in co-operation with Lieutenant-Colonel Hill, had the same obstacles to contend with as the expedition to Kinta, with one exception, viz., that the enemy always fled in good time to save themselves from what they most dreaded – the rockets.

16. The two Senior Lieutenants employed in Brigades were Lieutenants Henry T. Wright, First Lieutenant of the “Modeste” (3rd April, 1868), and Wentworth V. Bayly, of the “Ringdove” (12th October, 1869), both highly spoken of by Captain Buller.

17. Sub-Lieutenant Thomas F. Abbott, of the “Thistle” (28th July, 1873), “was at both attacks on Passir Sala” (whose name is already before their Lordships), and is spoken of by the Governor “in the highest terms” Captain Buller informs me.

18. The two Senior Sub-Lieutenants in the Brigades were Richard Poore (“Philomel”), seniority 15th April, 1873, and Walter T. Warren (“Modeste”), seniority 20th June, 1873, both well spoken of.

19. Ex-Sultan Ismail and Maharajah Lela have escaped, it is believed, into Siamese territory, but they have been followed by a large number of Malays with no friendly intentions towards them.

20. I regret that I shall not have the opportunity of seeing Major-General Colborne, of congratulating him on the success of his operations, and of thanking him for the terms in which he

has spoken of the Naval Brigades, as he remains at Penang. The prompt appearance of the troops from India, the thorough way in which they went to work, and followed the Malays through the jungle from village to village, stockade to stockade, never giving them time to occupy the latter in force, has, no doubt, had the best effect among the surrounding tribes.

I have, &c.,  
(Signed) ALFRED P. RYDER,  
Vice-Admiral, Commander-in-Chief.

P.S.—With reference to paragraph 3, I have ascertained, since writing this letter, that the ‘Philomel’s’ men, under Commander Garforth, have not yet re-embarked.

(Signed) ALFRED P. RYDER,  
Vice-Admiral.

*The Secretary of the Admiralty.*

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Enclosure No. 1.

“*Modeste*,” at Penang,  
January 8, 1876.

SIR,

HIS Excellency the Governor of the Straits Settlements having informed me he was desirous of reducing the forces in Perak to the numbers required for occupation only, the Major-General commanding and myself agreed that the Naval Brigade (“*Modeste*,” 10 officers, 84 men; “*Ringdove*,” 3 officers, 22 men; “*Philomel*,” 4 officers, 40 men) might be embarked on board their respective ships. I therefore left Kinta on the 4th instant, arrived at Banga the same afternoon, proceeded down the River Perak the following day, with the men of the “*Modeste*,” and “*Ringdove*,” and reached Her Majesty’s Ship

under my command at the Dindings, on the evening of the 6th.

I hope you will not consider it out of place for me to bring to your notice my high appreciation of the conduct of the officers, seamen, and marines, who formed the Naval Brigade under my command.

All did their duty cheerfully and energetically under the most difficult circumstances. When advancing up the Perak River from Banda Bahra to Blanga, the four native boats fitted with the guns and rockets of the Naval Brigade had to be poled, under an intensely hot sun, by the seamen for five consecutive days, and the intricate navigation of the river, full of sunken stakes, against a strong current which frequently swept the boats into deep water when the poles were rendered useless, and much vantage ground lost, made it a most arduous task, but the work had to be done, and it was carried out with the greatest cheerfulness.

Commander Uvedale C. Singleton, of Her Majesty's ship "Ringdove," rendered great service in his whaler by leading the flotilla, and sounding ahead to discover the passages.

On our arrival at Blanga, finding the enemy was retreating, and that it was necessary for the success of the expedition to follow them immediately to prevent stockades and other obstacles being erected to obstruct our advance, the Naval Brigade had to undergo much hardship.

The difficulty of carrying the rocket tubes and 24-pounder rockets, in addition to their own accoutrements, was no easy task through twenty-two miles of jungle path, replete with obstacles, and at the end of the weary day's march they had to encamp with only a waterproof sheet. The Control Department, under Commissary W. G. W.

Robinson, having anticipated these necessities for the brigade, had obtained a sufficient number for us from Hong Kong, on finding there was a prospect of hostilities taking place.

I am much indebted to Major-General the Honourable F. Colborne, C.B., commanding the forces, for his readiness to give me any assistance that was required to advance the interests of the Naval Brigade ; and I have to thank Major Amiel and Captain Whitla for permitting the men of the 80th and 10th Regiments to assist our men in the arduous duties of transporting the rockets.

On the arrival of Her Majesty's ship "Philomel" on this station, I ordered Commander Garforth, on the 2nd December, to proceed to Laroot, to render all assistance to the troops, and to form a Naval Brigade for the northern portion of the Perak Expedition, to act in conjunction with the troops under the command of Brigadier-General Ross.

He also had the superintendence of building rafts, and capturing canoes from the enemy for conveying the troops down the river from Qualla Kansa, and he carried out my orders and these services with great energy, and in a most efficient manner. I beg to enclose a letter from him, dated 4th January, reporting an attack made on the brigade, on the 4th instant, at Kolalama.

The steadiness shown on this occasion by the brigade is spoken of in strong terms by Her Majesty's Chief Commissioner for Perak, Major McNair, R.A.

I have much pleasure in bringing to your notice the conduct of Commander Singleton, of Her Majesty's ship "Ringdove," who acted as my second in command during the expedition. His services were of the greatest use to me, rendering me much important assistance in carrying out the

details connected with the brigade, at all times encouraging the men when in difficulties with their heavy loads, and to the front when work was to be done.

I cannot speak too highly of Commander Francis Stirling, of Her Majesty's ship "Thistle." He was for some time the Senior Naval Officer at Banda Bahru before my arrival, and was in command at the successful attack on Passir Sala, in conjunction with Captain Whitla, of the 10th Regiment, on the 15th November last.

Disturbances having broken out in Sunjir Ujong I sent Commander Stirling there to conduct naval affairs, and the successful results of his operations have entirely proved that my estimation of his worth as an officer was correct.

I trust the services of these officers may be considered worthy of your bringing their names favourably before their Lordships.

Lieutenant John P. Pipon, Sub-Lieutenant Walter T. Warren, and Mr. John Grant, Gunner, all of the "Modeste," and Alexander Matthewson, Chief Gunner's Mate of the "Ringdove," were immediately in charge of their respective gun and rocket boats, and I was much satisfied with the prompt manner the rockets were brought into action in the jungle.

Surgeon Anthony Gorham, of the "Ringdove," and Surgeon Charles C. Godding, of the "Modeste," were constantly watching the health of the brigade, and to their attention I attribute its healthy state.

Lieutenant Henry T. Wright, of the "Modeste," in conjunction with Lieutenant Huntley, 1st Battalion 10th Regiment, made a successful attack on the village two miles below Blanga, where our provision boats had been fired into, and a Sikh mortally wounded and a Chinaman injured.

Owing to the thickness of the jungle they were unable to make any prisoners, but it had the desired effect of making the Punglema of the village bring in the two men who had fired upon the boats.

Lieutenant Wentworth V. Bayly, of Her Majesty's ship "Ringdove," superintended the transport service at Durian Sabatang, and conducted the duties entirely to my satisfaction. The ship's company of the "Ringdove" constantly worked day and night, unloading vessels and pushing on provisions and ammunition to the Residency at Banda Bahru in boats.

I have already had the pleasure of bringing to your notice the gallant conduct of Sub-Lieutenant Thomas F. Abbott, of the "Thistle," at the time of the murder of Mr. Birch. His Excellency the Governor speaks of him in the strongest terms, and I trust you will consider his conduct deserving of being prominently brought to the notice of their Lordships. He was at both attacks at Passir Sala, and since that time has most ably conducted the naval affairs at the Residency.

Her Majesty's ships "Modeste," under temporary command of Lieutenant the Honourable Edward T. Needham, and "Fly" have been blockading the rivers. Commander John Bruce, of the "Fly," has conducted this duty with great energy. His vigilant guard over the coast has prevented any provisions being brought into the country, and he has secured a large amount of tin belonging to the Ex-Sultan Ismail.

Mr. William C. Gillies, Assistant-Paymaster of the "Modeste," served with me as my Clerk, and Mr. Mansfield G. Smith, Midshipman of the "Modeste," as my Aide-de-Camp, during the whole of the expedition. They were always with me in



the front, and were energetic and attentive in the performance of the duties required of them.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) ALEXANDER BULLER,  
Captain and Senior Officer, Straits of Malacca.

*Vice-Admiral Alfred Phillipps Ryder,  
Commander-in-Chief,  
Chinese Station.*

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Enclosure No. 2.

*“Philomel,” off Loroot River,  
December 13, 1875.*

SIR,

IN continuation of my letter of proceedings of the 2nd of December, I have the honour to inform you that on that date I communicated with Captain Buller at Banda Bahru, who ordered me to proceed to Larut, to co-operate with Brigadier-General Ross, commanding the forces of the “Larut River Expedition,” by assisting in landing troops, and forming a Naval Brigade.

The Naval Brigade landed here under my command will consist of four officers, and thirty-nine men of this ship, three officers and fifty-five men of the “Modeste,” and six men of the “Ringdove,” making in all one hundred and seven officers and men.

I have been informed by General Ross, that when he has made arrangements for the transport of troops from Qualla Kansa, at which place the seamen will be most useful in constructing rafts; he will be glad for me to land the Naval Brigade.

On the 11th instant, I received instructions from the Brigadier-General to land the “Modeste’s” men; the remainder of the Naval Brigade to follow on the 13th.



I have been requested by General Ross to arrange a postal communication for conveying despatches between Laroot and Penang, the ships at present available here for this duty being the "Philomel" and the transport-ship "Arabian," the latter vessel being held in readiness to proceed to Penang at any moment.

I have written to the Governor of Penang, asking that all steamers coming from Penang to Perak River, and vice versâ, may be ordered to stop and communicate with the senior naval officer off Laroot; and I hope by these means that little or no delay will occur, the General having informed me that he attaches great importance to the establishment of a regular communication between Laroot and Penang; and before landing I shall impress upon Navigating Lieutenant Drake the necessity of paying every attention to the carrying out of this duty.

I am landing here to-day with the remainder of the Naval Brigade, leaving Navigating Lieutenant Drake in temporary command of this ship.

I have, &c.,  
(Signed) EDMUND GARFORTH,  
Commander.

*Vice-Admiral Alfred P. Ryder,*  
*Commander-in-Chief, &c.*

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*Her Majesty's ship "Philomel,"*  
*at Larut, December 8, 1875.*

*A RETURN showing the number of Officers and Men forming the Naval Brigade to be landed at Larut.*

"Modeste"—3 Officers; 28 seamen; 18 Marines;  
—Total 49.

1876.

“Philomel”—4 Officers ; 31 seamen ; 8 Marines ;  
—Total 43.

“Ringdove”—6 Marines ;—Total 6.

Totals—7 Officers ; 59 seamen ; 32 Marines ;—  
98.

(Signed) EDMUND GARFORTH,  
Commander.

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*NOMINAL LIST of the Officers landed with  
the Naval Brigade, and attached to the Larut  
Field Force.*

E. St. John Garforth, Commander, “Philomel.”  
Henry T. Wright, Senior Lieutenant, “Modeste.”  
Robert T. Wood, Senior Lieutenant, “Philomel.”  
Robert W. Williams, Surgeon, “Philomel.”  
Richard Poore, Sub-Lieutenant, “Philomel.”  
James P. Montgomery, Sub-Lieutenant, “Mo-  
deste.”

Thomas P. Walker, Midshipman, “Modeste.”  
(Signed) EDMUND GARFORTH,  
Commander.

“Philomel,” off Laroot River,  
December 13, 1875.

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Enclosure No 3.

*Qualla Kandsor, Head Quarters,*  
SIR, *Laroot Field Force, January 5, 1876.*

I HAVE the honour of informing you that at daylight on the 4th January, the following forces, under Brigadier-General Ross, left Qualla Kandsor for a village called Koto-lama, on the left bank of the Perak River, distant three miles :—

32 officers and men, Naval Brigade, with  
24-pounder rocket and 7-pounder gun.  
100 Buffs.

40 Ghoorkhas.

12 Royal Artillery with 7-pounder gun.

Koto-lama is the village that the late Mr. Birch was stopped at by an armed force, and for some time has been harbouring the worst characters in this part of the country, and it was the intention to destroy the houses belonging to these men.

A portion of the force was marched up on both banks of the river, two villages being opposite one another, of the same name ; the one on the right bank was only to be searched for arms.

Having landed with the Naval Brigade and rocket (leaving sufficient men to guard the boats), I was requested by the Brigadier-General commanding to search some houses for arms, which having accomplished I came up with him and his staff at the house of one of the chiefs, about 11 A.M.

About five minutes after this fifty or sixty armed Malays, who had evidently been hidden in the bush (which was very thick), made a sudden and most determined attack on our party. I had previous to this formed the Blue Jackets up as a guard to the Brigadier-General. The enemy immediately came to close quarters, using their fire-arms and spears, the latter with great effect.

The attacking party being nearly double the number, I cannot speak too highly of the conduct displayed on the occasion by both officers and men, each trying to outvie the other in individual acts of gallantry, being at the time unsupported by any of the troops, who had a short time before had skirmishing parties through this part of the bush.

I would wish to bring before your favourable notice for the information of their Lordships the names of Lieutenant Robert T. Wood and Sub-Lieutenant Richard Poore, who were each in

charge of a portion of the men, and behaved with gallantry during the attack—the latter officer has been nearly three years a Sub-Lieutenant, and I consider is worthy of some mark of their Lordships' consideration,

There are likewise three Blue Jackets, who I feel it my duty to inform you of.

Two—Henry Thompson, A.B., and Harry Bonnett, A.B., saved the life of Dr. Townsend attached to the Buffs, by cutting down the Malays, who were about to spear him after he fell. David Sloper, A.B., for standing by the body of Major Hawkins (Brigade-Major) after he had been speared,—shooting down two of the enemy and only retreating when obliged to do so.

I beg to enclose Dr. R. W. Williams' report of the killed and wounded.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) EDMUND GARFORTH,  
Commander, Commanding Naval Brigade  
attached to Laroot Field Force.

*Vice-Admiral Alfred P. Ryder,*  
*Commander-in-Chief, &c., &c.*

Sub-Enclosure in Enclosure No. 3.

*Naval Brigade Her Majesty's ship "Philomel."*

*LIST of Killed and Wounded at the Assault on  
the Village of Koto-lama.*

William J. Soul, Leading Seaman and Seaman  
Gunner, spear wound on the right side of the  
spine, transfixing the chest, the aperture of  
exit being about 5 inches below the right nipple.  
Killed.

Jasper Ball, Private Royal Marine Light Infantry,  
two spear wounds in the epigastrium. Spear

wound of left fore-arm, and several of right hand through grasping the spear. Death in about 18 hours.

(Signed) ROBT. W. WILLIAMS,  
Surgeon, R.N.,  
Her Majesty's ship "Philomel."

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Enclosure No. 4.

*Terrachce,*

SIR, *December 21, 1875.*

I HAVE the honor to inform you that the force, under Lieutenant-Colonel Hill, of the 1st Goorkhas, to which I was attached, started from a position  $1\frac{1}{4}$  miles of the Residency at 9 o'clock on the morning of the 19th instant.

The force consisted of 120 men of the 1st Goorkhas, under Captain Mercer, 30 seamen and Marines from the "Thistle," under Navigating Sub-Lieutenant M. S. Beatty and Assistant-Paymaster T. F. Harrison, with one 24-pounder rocket tube, and 11 Royal Artillery with a 7-pounder gun, the whole being under the command of Lieutenant-Colonel Hill.

The route lay through much open country for the first six miles, after which we got into forest and jungle, and after marching about nine miles force was halted by a river in the forest, and bivouacked for the night.

Next morning we moved on again, and travelled by a very bad path through the forest all day, and, after marching about 12 miles, again camped for the night in the jungle.

The following day we moved on early over a very rough scrambling path, our difficulties being much increased by the enemy having cut down many trees, staked the paths with sharp bamboos, and thrown other obstacles in our way in the most

difficult passes ; we also had to cross and re-cross the Moar River 15 or 20 times.

About noon we came on a stockade freshly made, and only just abandoned, and shortly afterwards emerged from the jungle into the Terrachee Valley, and after marching about two miles along it without opposition or seeing any one, all the houses we passed being abandoned, we halted for the night in our present position.

Early this morning we were again under arms, and after leaving a strong guard here, under Mr. T. F. Harrison, marched up the valley towards the Bukit Putas Pass, but after going about three miles met the column under Colonel Clay coming down, and learnt that the stockade in Bukit Putas had been surprised and taken on the night of the 20th instant by Captain Channer and 25 men of the Goorkhas, with a loss of one killed and two wounded, they represent the position and stockade as being one of great strength ; the enemy are supposed to have retreated into Datu Moat country.

I desire to bring before your notice the very great zeal and energy displayed by Navigating Sub-Lieutenant M. S. Beatty and Mr. T. F. Harrison, Assistant Paymaster, throughout the whole of the arduous march, and it is to their exertions, that the difficulty of carrying the large cases of 24-pounder rockets was surmounted.

Being short of available executive officers in the ship, I have employed Mr. Harrison much in this capacity, and he has proved himself most efficient.

The seaman and Marines have, I am glad to say behaved admirably, so much so as to call for the praise of the Lieutenant-Colonel in command.

I am glad to say that, notwithstanding much wet and sleeping in the jungle, there is no sickness.

Pending contrary orders from you, I purpose remaining with this expedition as long as my services are required by Colonel Anson.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) F. STIRLING,

Commander Her Majesty's ship "Thistle,"  
Naval Brigade.

P.S.—A tracing of this part of the Malay Peninsula, as surveyed by Mr. Daly, the Colonial Engineer, will be sent as soon as obtainable.

*Captain Alexander Buller,*

*Her Majesty's ship "Modeste,"*

*Senior Officer, Malacca Straits.*

Enclosure No. 5.

*Her Majesty's ship "Thistle," Penang,*

SIR, *January 7, 1876.*

IN continuation of my last letter of proceedings, dated Terrehee, December 22nd, I beg to inform you that on the 24th December, an advance into the Straits of Ulu Moar and Sri Menanti having been determined on, the whole force got under arms at 9.30 A.M., and moved as far as Qualla Parit, where the two columns separated, that under Colonel Clay crossing the hills into Sri Menanti, while that under Lieutenant Colonel Hill to which the Naval Brigade was attached, marched into Ulu Moar; the country we passed through was a rich valley with much rice under cultivation, and well stocked with buffalo, goats, and poultry, and evidence of a considerable population, though the houses were all deserted; no opposition was experienced, and we halted for the night at the house of the Datu of Moar.

Next morning we advanced into Sri Menanti,



taking a different route to the other column, passing a well built and recently deserted stockade which was destroyed, and at 1 P.M. joined the rest of the force under Colonel Clay near the residence of the Rajah Autas, or, as he claims to be, the Yam Tuan Besar.

Hearing here that the Chiefs and the fighting men had fled into Jompole, a small force was detached in pursuit of them to Qualla Jompole, but it being evident that no opposition was now intended, Colonel Ansen informed me that the services of the Naval Brigade could now be dispensed with, and accordingly the following morning (the 26th,) I detached my force from the main body and taking the road over the Sri Menanti hill, passed through Terrachee, and encamped for the night at "Bandole." The next morning the march was continued over the Bukit Patas Pass, by Parroci, into Rassa, a distance of 18 miles, where we remained the night.

Finding the following morning that many of the men were unfit to march to Lukut (a distance of 18 miles over a very bad road), I determined to send them down in boats by the Lingey River; and leaving Navigating Sub-Lieutenant Beatty and Mr. Harrison to carry out this, I myself proceeded to Lukut, and getting on board the same evening brought the ship round to the mouth of the Lingey River next day, and the party returned to the ship on the morning of the 30th December.

I beg to bring to your favourable notice the great zeal and energy displayed by Navigating Sub-Lieutenant M. S. Beatty and Mr. Thos. F. Harrison, Assistant-Paymaster of this ship, throughout the operations, and it is due to their exertions that the Naval Brigade earned the reputation of being always ready.

The conduct of the seamen and Marines has

also been most praiseworthy during the fortnight they have been landed, though much of the marching was of a most arduous nature, trying even to regular troops, they behaved with the utmost steadiness.

I beg to enelose a sketch of the country of Songir Ujong, Sri Menanti, &c., showing the route and position of the stockades, &c. ; also the copy of a letter addressed to me by the Honourable Colonel Anson, Lieutenant-Governor of Penang and Special Political Agent in Songir Ujong, with reference to the operations.

On the 31st December I got under weigh for target practice, returning to the same anchorage at noon

On the 5th the Honourable Colonel Anson returned from Rassa, and requested me to convey him to Penang, at the same time informing me that he did not consider the presence of a man-of-war to be any longer necessary in that part of the coast. I accordingly got under weigh the same afternoon, communicating with Her Majesty's ship "Modeste" at the Dindings, and the "Philomel" off Larut yesterday, and arrived at this port this morning at 9 A.M.

I have, &c.,  
 (Signed) F. STIRLING,  
 Commander.

*Captain Alexander Buller,  
 Her Majesty's ship "Modeste,"  
 Senior Officer, Malacca Straits.*

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Sub-Enclosure in Enclosure No. 5.

*Her Majesty's ship "Thistle,"*  
*January 6, 1876.*

SIR,

I HAVE the honour to express my thanks

for the ready and cheerful assistance which, under considerable difficulties, you and the officers and men of Her Majesty's ship "Thistle" who co-operated with the expedition to Songie Ujong have rendered me. I have not failed to communicate my appreciation of your services and theirs to the Governor of the Straits Settlements, and to request that he will be good enough to bring them to the notice of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty.

To yourself personally I desire also to express my acknowledgments for the courtesy and consideration which I have received from you.

I am, &c.

(Signed) A. E. H. ANSON,  
Colonel.

*Commander F. Stirling,  
Her Majesty's ship "Thistle."*

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The Services of the Naval Brigade in the  
Malay Peninsula.

Acknowledgments of the Major-General  
Commanding the Forces engaged.

*"Audacious," at Singapore,  
January 20, 1876.*

SUBMITTED for the information of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty with reference to my letter of the 17th instant.

A. P. RYDER,  
Vice-Admiral, Commander-in-Chief.

*The Secretary of the Admiralty.*

*Head Quarters, Penang,*

SIR, *January 11, 1876.*

ON the probable conclusion of active operations in Perak district of the combined naval and military expeditionary force, I beg to be allowed to express to you my sincere thanks and acknowledgments for the cordial and able assistance I have at all times received from you as senior naval officer during these operations, as well as for the personal courtesy and kindness I have experienced while on board Her Majesty's ships, commanded by yourself, Commander Singleton, Commander Stirling, and Commander Bruce. I also beg to express my grateful sense of the alacrity in providing for, and attention to, the men's comfort shown by these officers while the troops were on board their respective vessels.

I shall esteem it a great favour if you will oblige us by conveying to the officers, petty officers, and men of the Naval Brigade forming part of the Perak Expeditionary Force my high appreciation of their indefatigable exertions during the whole period of a very arduous advance by water as well as by land. In the former, the labour undertaken by the men, unaccustomed to the work of poling against a strong current, and under a hot sun, was excessive; and on the land, from the extreme badness of the jungle road, the heavy weight of ammunition and rockets to be carried, the exposure at night and occasional shortness of provisions, the service was a most trying one.

On both occasions the cheerful willingness, the good spirits and temper that invariably prevailed, excited my warmest admiration, nor must I omit to refer to the promptitude with which, as occasion required, the rockets were brought into action, and the good service done by them. In conclusion, I beg to assure you of the honour I have felt it to be

associated, in command with the Naval Brigade, on this occasion, and of my best wishes for their welfare and happiness.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) FRANCIS COLBORNE,  
Major-General Commanding Forces,  
China and Straits Settlements.

*Captain Alexander Buller,*  
*Commanding Her Majesty's ship "Modeste,"*  
*Senior Naval Officer.*

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*"Audacious," Hong kong,*

SIR, *December 8, 1875.*

I HAVE the honour to forward herewith, to be laid before the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, reports of proceedings addressed to me by Commander Francis Stirling, of Her Majesty's ship "Thistle," dated respectively the 12th and 16th of November, 1875, showing the progress of events up to the latter date.

2. In submitting these reports I have the honour to draw their Lordship's attention to the position in which Sub-Lieutenant Thomas F. Abbott was placed on the 2nd and 3rd of November, and the efficient way in which he anticipated and prevented the attacks of the Malays by fortifying the Residency at Banda Bahru, which probably discouraged the other tribes from joining in the aggressive movements of the murderers of Mr. Birch. I also wish to draw their Lordship's attention to the efficient services rendered by Commanders Francis Stirling, of Her Majesty's ship "Thistle," and John Bruce, of Her Majesty's ship "Fly," as well as the officers and men under their command.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) A. P. RYDER,  
Vice-Admiral, Commander-in-Chief.

## Enclosure No. 1.

*The Residency, Banda Bahru,*SIR, *November 12, 1875.*

I BEG to inform you that on the 10th instant I brought the "Thistle" up the river as far as Durian Sebatanj (about 45 miles from the mouth of the river), and then came up to the Residency to put myself in communication with Major Dunlop, temporary Special Commissioner in Perak. On the 11th (yesterday) I returned with Mr. Swettenham (Assistant Commissioner) to Durian Sebatanj, and moved the "Thistle" to a position more favourable for blockading the Upper Perak, and also for commanding Durian Sebatanj, and we were also fortunate enough to secure the person of Hadji Alli, a native chief on the enemy's side, by completely cutting off his retreat, when he surrendered. At the same time we secured a considerable amount of arms and ammunition destined for the interior.

I have stationed Captain Bruce at Durian Sebatanj for the present, to superintend the transport of stores, &c., a work of some difficulty, owing to the extreme shallowness of the river.

An attack is being organized on the enemy's stockade at Passir Sala as soon as suitable guns and boats arrive from Singapore, probably in a few days.

I beg to enclose Sub-Lieutenant T. F. Abbott's report of events that have occurred here from the 1st of November, and would desire to bring strongly before your notice the great judgment and coolness he has displayed in circumstances of a most trying and difficult nature; and it is without doubt owing to his vigorous arrangements for the defence of the Residency (of which he was in charge after Mr. Birch's murder) that it was not attacked

before the arrival of reinforcements. His Excellency the Governor has also expressed to me his high appreciation of his conduct.

I have, &c.,

F. STIRLING, Commander and Senior  
Officer, Straits of Malacca.

*Vice-Admiral Alfred P. Ryder,*  
*Commander-in-Chief, China Station.*

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Sub-Enclosure No. 1.

*The Residency, Banda Bahru, Perak,*

SIR, *November 6, 1875.*

I HAVE the honour to report to you, for the information of his Excellency the Governor of the Straits Settlements, the following events that have occurred in Perak since the 1st of November instant :—

Mr. Birch desired me to accompany him in his mission up the Perak River, to post the recent proclamations of the Governor and the notices connected with the future administration of the Government of Perak, and we left together ; ourselves in the large boat, mounting a 3-pounder brass gun, attended by a sampon penjanj with 10 Sepoys of the Resident's guard armed with Snider rifles, and a small mortar, and by another sampan penjanj fitted up as a cooking boat. At about 5.30 P.M. on the evening of the 1st of November, we stayed at Passir Panjanj, where we dined, and pushing upwards immediately after dinner, we moored our boats at Passir Sala, near the Maharajah Lela's house between 10 and 12 P.M., and slept there for the night.

A little after six o'clock on the following morning, I crossed over to the opposite bank (Camponj Gaga) to shoot there, everything being quiet when I left, and when, after about three



hours shooting, I returned to the river bank, I observed the Datu Sajar beckoning to me in an excited manner, and when he approached me with a number of armed men, he said Mr. Birch was dead, several Sepoys killed and others fled, and advised me to fly into the jungle. I, however, preferred to take to a sagar, accompanied by two boys (Solomons and a boatman) and we pushed to the middle of the river. One boatman soon deserted, and having only a pole and a paddle, we had great difficulty in managing the boat, a well-directed fire being kept up from the right bank principally, for half-way to the Residency, which I reached, however, without accident about 10.30 A.M.

Here I found one of our boats had already arrived with the intelligence, having on board the body of Mr. Birch's interpreter, Arshad, who died on the way down, and nine Sepoys (two of whom were severely and one slightly wounded), and both Mr. Birch's private servants.

The big boat and one sampan penjanj, containing the brass gun and mortar and ammunition, two blue ensigns, one Union Jack, several boxes of official records, 100 dollars in money, and some of Mr. Birch's and my property, fell into the hands of the Passir Sala people.

I then proceeded to call together Captain Welner (of the Colonial steamer "Pluto"), Mr. Bacon, Mr. Keyt, and Inspectors Warne and Lagis, to resolve upon the best measures to be adopted.

We decided to dispatch the "Pluto" immediately to Penang to communicate with the Lieutenant-Governor; telegraph to Sir William Jervois and ask for assistance; to inform the Sultan, Abdullah, of what had occurred, and to send Mr. Warne back to Pankore to be at his post, with orders (if necessary for their safety) to withdraw the police

from the Bruas and Teluk Batu stations, and concentrate at the Dindings.

I then proceeded to fortify the island on which the Residency stands as the best defensive position, and there to concentrate all the Sepoys and arms and ammunition.

I next examined what arms and ammunition we had in store, paraded the Sepoys, gave them their orders, and kept a strict watch throughout the night, as we had reason to expect an attack.

On the following morning our scouts, a few Chinese who volunteered to give us every assistance, brought us intelligence that armed parties had assembled at night upon both banks to attack us, within a very short distance above the Residency, but had changed their minds and returned.

I had a stockade constructed on the 3rd, and ran a strong *cheval-de-frise* of strong sticks round the island, and used every other precaution, according to our means, to hold our position during the night, which passed off without any incidents—excepting the wounding of a Sepoy by the accidental discharge of a rifle during a false alarm.

I deemed it best simply to protect the Residency for the present, and to adhere to this policy until reinforcements should have arrived, or other instructions from Penang by the “Pluto.”

The four men of the “Thistle” who were left with me were detailed to work the three guns we have here (a Vavasour 9-pounder, a brass 12-pounder howitzer, and a mortar), and otherwise to make themselves useful.

The Sepoys, numbering about 50 active men, were our only other force. They are, with two or three exceptions, recruits from the neighbourhood of Lahore, in India, and are still far from perfect in the use of arms, and are to a great extent wanting in discipline, but they did their duty well.

On the morning of the 5th Mr. Swettenham arrived from Qualla Kangsa, and assumed civil charge of the Residency.

I append a list of killed and wounded, and letters that have passed between the Sultan and myself, also depositions of the most reliable witnesses of the murder of Mr. Birch.

Before concluding I feel it due to them to state that I was greatly assisted in my operations by the members of the Resident's Staff, viz., Messrs. Bacon and Keyt, and Police Inspector Lagis. Mr. Kenn also proved useful in attending to the sick and wounded.

I have, &c.,  
(Signed) T. F. ABBOTT,  
Sub-Lieutenant.

*Commander F. Stirling,*  
*Her Majesty's ship "Thistle,"*  
*Senior Naval Officer, Straits of Malacca.*

### Sub-Enclosure No. 2.

*List of Killed and Wounded at Passir Sala on  
November 2, 1875.*

#### *Killed.*

The Hon. S. W. Birch.  
Arshad, Interpreter.  
Hit Sersing, Sepoy.  
Dim Laroot, Boatman.

#### *Wounded.*

Doolah, Boatman, severely.  
Karet Singh, Sepoy, severely.  
Chet Singh, Corporal Sepoy, severely.  
Mahomed, Boatman, slightly.  
Mohomed, Boatman, slightly.  
Mya Singh, Sepoy, slightly.

## Sub-Enclosure No. 3.

*Bandhar Bahru,  
November 2, 1875.*

To His Highness Sultan Abdullah Mahomed Shah,  
son of the late Sultan Jaffir bin Al Maathum  
Shah, Sultan of Perak.

I HAVE to inform my friend that Mr. Birch was killed by some of our friend's people at Passir Sala this morning, and I shall be obliged if my friend will come up here and consult with me, and give me every assistance in the matter.

T. F. ABBOTT, Sub-Lieutenant, in  
charge of the Residency, Bandhar Bahru.

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## Sub-Enclosure No. 4.

*Durian Sabaltan,  
November 3, 1875.*

From Sultan Abdullah Mahomed Shah, Sultan of  
Perak, &c., to Sub-Lieutenant T. F. Abbott.

I HAVE received my friend's letter, and I am very sorry.

As soon as I received my friend's letter I began to collect my people to come up to Bandhar Bahru,

And when my people are ready I shall come and consult with my friend and give every assistance in my power.

ABDULLAH.

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## Sub-Enclosure No. 5.

From Sub-Lieutenant T. F. Abbott, in charge of  
Her Britannic Majesty's Residency at Perak, to  
his Highness Sultan Abdullah Mahomed Shah,

son of the late Sultan Jaffir Al Maatham Shah :—

I thank my friend for my friend's answer to my letter, and for the expression of my friend's readiness to assist us.

I shall be glad if my friend will succeed in collecting our friend's subjects, to come to our aid, and I shall put the Balu on the Residency premises at my friend's disposal ; and I shall be glad also if my friend will come here as early as convenient, and consult with us and the great officers of the British Government, whom we expect soon to arrive, as to the best means of punishing the murderers of Mr. Birch and several other British subjects, and restoring quiet to the country. The body of the late Resident has not been found up to this day, and I am told that the Resident boat and the property in it have been sent up to the Sultan Ismael.

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#### Sub-Enclosure No. 6.

Mahomed Noor, private servant of Mr. Birch, states :—

At about half-past eight I was on shore at Passir Sala, near the goldsmith's shop. I was sitting in an empty boat. I saw a large number of Malays come to where the proclamation was posted and say, "What, more ! let us tear it down ; if they try to prevent us we will stab them." They then tore it down, and rushed at Arshad and stabbed him. I saw the crew of Mr. Birch's boat jump into the river. I also jumped into the river. I saw the small sampan panjanj coming down the river, and I swam after it and got in. The Malays were firing at us from both banks as we were coming down.

By Mr. Abbott.—Where did you see Mr. Birch last ?

Answer.—In the boat.

Before me

(Signed) T. F. ABBOTT,  
Sub-Lieutenant.

Interpreted by EDWARD BACON.

Witness, F. G. KEYT.

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### Sub-Enclosure No. 7.

*November 2, 1875.*

Ahmid, Head Boatman, states:—At about eight o'clock this morning I was lying down at the stern of the boat. I heard the Malays on shore say, "As soon as Mr. Birch has had breakfast we will drive him away. If he does not go, then we will do for him." Then I got up and looked into the boat, and I did not find Mr. Birch. I heard him talking from the bathing-house. I remained in the boat. I saw the Malays with naked spears tearing down the proclamations. Half the Malays came to the river-side and told them to shove off. Then the sampan panjanj men moved off. Then I saw the Malays eutting and spearing the crew of the other sampan panjanj. I still remained at the stern of the boat looking on. I turned and looked towards the bathing-house and saw Kaleh Khan with a pistol in his hand jump into the water. I went into Mr. Birch's cabin and saw two Malays there. I took up a rifle, but finding no ammunition, put it down and jumped into the water. Just then I saw the interpreter, Arshad, coming towards the boat. One Malay man who was in the boat prevented him by striking him with a sword. I saw Arshad severely wounded and exhausted; as I was swimming down the river I saw Arshad giving up the attempt to get at

Mr. Birch's boat, and I heard him hail the sampan panjanj for help. It was about 20 yards distant. I told the sampan panjanj men to wait ; they did so. Then Arshad and I got into it ; Arshad was helped in. We then retreated, and the Malays on shore followed and kept firing at us. One of our men was hit, and another complained of being wounded. When I was far away I saw Mr. Abbott and two boys following in a saga, and the Malays from both banks firing at them.

By Mr. Abbott.—When did Arshad die ?

Answer.—In about an hour after he was taken into the boat.

By Mr. Abbott.—Did Arshad say anything before he died ?

Answer.—He said nothing.

Question.—Did you see anybody attack Mr. Birch ?

Answer.—I saw several Malays entering the bath-house, but there was no noise.

Question.—You were so close to him, do you think Mr. Birch was killed ?

Answer.—I think he was.

Before me,

T. F. ABBOTT, Sub-Lieutenant.

Interpreted by me, EDWARD BACON.

Witness, J. T. KEYT.

### Sub-Enclosure, No. 8.

Mustapha, Mr. Birch's Cook, states :—At half-past 8 this morning, Mr. Birch called to me and asked for soap and a towel to go for a bath. I gave them. My master ordered breakfast, and I went to prepare it. I saw a number of Sepoys and boatmen, while I was cooking, rush into a sampan panjanj, which capsized. They swam to another



sampan panjanj. I joined them, and came down the river to Banda Bahru.

By Mr. Abbot.—Did you hear any firing, or did you see any one stabbed or wounded?

Answer.—No, I did not.

Before me,

T. F. ABBOTT, Sub-Lieutenant.  
MUSTAPHA.

Witness, EDWARD BACON.

Interpreted by me, J. T. KEYT.

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#### Sub-Enclosure No. 9.

Kaleh Khan, Private of the Resident's Guard, states :—Almost all the Sepoys were on shore, and I was among them. A Datu came twice to the boat and spoke to Mr. Birch. Arshad, the Interpreter, posted the proclamation near the goldsmith's shop. The first time it was torn down I told Mr. Birch. He spoke to Arshad, and Arshad explained they were taking it away to show to Datu Saga. Mr. Birch ordered Arshad to post another, and it was done. Then Mr. Birch went to the bathing-house to bathe. Several Malays were on the spot, all armed. I was standing on one of the logs of the floating bath-house, with Mr. Birch's revolver in my hand. All at once, the other proclamation was torn down by a man whom I will recognize if I see him again, and there was a rush upon us with spears and knives. I saw some Malays get into the bathing-house where Mr. Birch was. I afterwards fell into the water; the water was very deep, and I could get no footing, but I saw one of our boats at some distance going down towards Banha Bahru, and I hailed it and told our men to fire. The Malays were firing from both banks. I succeeded in getting into the boat, after-

wards came down here. If I see the Datu again, I shall know him. I saw him at the Residency often, but do not know his name.

Before me,

T. F. ABBOTT, Sub-Lieutenant.

Interpreted by J. T. KEYT.

Witness, J. ROZELLE.

Sub-Enclosure No. 10.

SIR, *Bandhar Bahru, November 9, 1875.*

I HAVE the honour to report to you the following circumstances which have occurred since my last communication, dated November 4. On the morning of the 5th Mr. Swettenham arrived and took civil charge of the Residency.

That day we planned an attack on the enemy, the idea being to divide the Sepoys, taking them along both banks and putting both the guns (12-pounder howitzer and 9-pounder Vavasour) in boats, to use them to annoy and divert the enemy's attention during an attack from the troops.

However, in the evening I heard from Captain Innes, R.E., Acting Assistant-Commissioner, informing me of the arrival of the troops in the Colonial steamer "Pluto," and decided to await their arrival, which we were afterwards glad of.

On the morning of the 6th instant, we proceeded to prepare the boats for the transport of guns. I proposed that spars should be placed across the boats, and bamboos lashed under them fore and aft outside (to give greater stability and flotation to the small river boats we had at command), the whole being covered with planks, to enable the polers to walk fore and aft.

About noon Captain Innes arrived, accompanied by Lieutenants Booth and Elliot, with a detachment of 60 men of the 10th Regiment.

In the evening I took the boats with the guns out for a trial and found them answer well in everything, except that the guns were stationary, having no boat-slides, and consequently we had to depend upon the polers for direction.

About six o'clock this evening the body of Mr. Birch was brought down the river by Rajah Dam. Upon examination he proved to have received ten spear wounds or stabs.

It was interred with military honours on the island behind the Presidency.

The plan of attack having previously been determined on, at six o'clock on Sunday, November 7, the troops were paraded.

At seven o'clock the embarkation commenced, but owing to want of transport the whole party was not landed on the western bank, about a mile and a half above the Residency, until 10.30 A.M. We immediately started in the following order of march :—

Twenty Malays, under Mr. Swettenham, as scouts ; 4 men 10th, under Corporal Anderson, advance guard ; 21 men, under Lieutenant Booth, leading half-company ; 4 seamen of "Thistle," with coolies carrying rockets, under me, accompanied by Captain Innes ; 47 Sepoys and 27 police under Superintendent Plunkett ; 25 men of the 10th, under Lieutenant Elliot, bringing up the rear.

We advanced rapidly, showing as large a front as possible, but often having to break into single file from the nature of the country.

We had marched about  $2\frac{1}{2}$  miles, when suddenly a heavy fire was heard in front, and the leading troops formed in skirmishing order across an Indian-corn field—the corn about eight feet high—moving forward steadily. As soon as I saw the stockade I ordered the seamen to commence

rocketting, which they did as fast as possible, under a heavy fire. I may here mention that the rockets were of an obsolete pattern (9-pounder tail, shell), and used in wooden troughs, with paper primers stuck in one of the holes in the base, and ignited by a common match, this being the only means I could devise of using them. The Sepoys and police were huddled together behind a large tree, close to the river, and proved utterly useless, and rather dangerous from their wild firing, which wounded some of the troops.

Shortly after the beginning of the action Lieutenant Booth was wounded in the foot, and had to be placed under shelter.

Lieutenant Elliot took command, and we slackened our fire, not being able to see any enemy, though they could evidently see us. The seamen threw in a few rockets, but too high, owing to their inefficient fittings.

Then it was agreed that after two rockets had been fired there should be a general attack.

I told the seamen to advance in the centre.

After the second rocket a rush was made forward in line, and we placed ourselves close under the stockade, taking advantage of every shelter, keeping up a heavy fire at it, as the enemy was invisible. The men were falling fast, the retire and assembly sounded, so we fell back.

Captain Innes was carried in killed. After a hurried consultation it was unanimously agreed to retire, as it was useless losing men without any visible result.

The coolies having all deserted we were obliged to detail some of the troops to carry the dead and wounded. The remainder were formed into a rear guard, Lieutenant Booth commanding. Mr. Swettenham and I remaining, we retired slowly and in good order to the boats, which

occupied about an hour and a half, when we embarked and arrived at the Residency about 3.30 P.M.

This evening Captain Innes was buried, with military honours, beside the late Mr. Bireh's grave.

The affair cost us altogether—one officer killed, two officers wounded, one private (10th) killed, one Sepoy killed, three lance-corporals and four privates severely wounded, and one corporal and one private slightly wounded; one Sepoy severely wounded.

The Malay scouts, under Mr. Swettenham, proved very useful and showed great courage; one of them was killed.

The inefficiency of the Sepoys may be partly attributable to want of discipline, and to no officer being acquainted with their language.

For the police there is no excuse, particularly as Mr. Plunkett did all that was possible to encourage them and the Sepoys, but without success.

Though unable to discover the loss on the enemy's side we heard from reliable authority that the Malays had abandoned their stockade shortly after we left.

Before concluding, I hope you will not consider I am exceeding my duty in mentioning the gallantry of the European troops and sailors, who were under fire for an hour and three-quarters in very trying circumstances. I believe I saw the last of the missing man (Private Fay, of the 10th), who was lying wounded on the ground, while we were advancing on the stockade. I gave him my pistol, and took his rifle with some ammunition. I did not see him on retiring, and concluded he had been taken to the rear with the others.

On the evening of the 8th, Commander Bruce,

of the "Fly," arrived, bringing intelligence of a reinforcement under Captain Whitla, of the 10th, who arrived during the night.

Next day the body of Private Fay floated down the river, and was buried in the evening.

The wounded were sent down the river during the day.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) T. F. ABBOTT,

Sub-Lieutenant in charge of Seamen from  
Her Majesty's Ship "Thistle."

*Commander Francis Stirling,  
Senior Officer, Straits of Malacca.*

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Enclosure No. 2.

*The Residency, Bandar Bahru, Perak River,*

SIR, *November 16, 1875.*

IN continuation of my letter of proceedings of the 12th instant I beg to inform you that on the following day, a report having been received that the stockade at Passir Sala was likely to be abandoned, and it being considered extremely advisable that a blow should be struck at them before this took place, an immediate attack on their position was determined on; and, after consultation with Major Dunlop, Special Commissioner in Perak, and Captain Whitla, of the 10th Regiment, in command of the troops, a plan of operations was agreed on.

On Sunday morning, the 14th instant, all the available officers and seaman and marines of Her Majesty's ships "Thistle" and "Fly" were brought up the river and quartered at the Residency, native boats were fitted to receive two 12-pounder howitzer field pieces, one 7-pounder boat's gun, the two 24-pounder naval rocket tubes, and



a cohorn mortar, and with much difficulty 15 other native boats were obtained to transport the troops ; and on the same evening, after reconnoitring as far as Qualla Truss, a place of disembarkation was determined on, on the right bank of the river, about a mile below the stockade which was attacked on the 7th instant.

On Monday morning at 5 A.M. the embarkation commenced, and at 6.30 the whole force moved up the river, and at 8.20 disembarked at the place determined on without opposition.

The Marines of both ships were placed at the disposal of Captain Whitla, who formed them into the advanced guard, and placed them under the command of the Hon. Mr. Plunkett, Superintendent of the Police at Penang, who volunteered his services.

It had been arranged that the boats fitted with the guns and rockets should in ascending the river keep well in advance of the troops, the boats with the reserve ammunition and for wounded keeping well astern.

The naval force was distributed and ascended the river in the following order:—

First native boat with 7-pounder, under Sub-Lieutenant Abbott and nine men ; second native boat with 12-pounder howitzer, under Lieutenant Lowe, and eight men ; third native boat, with 24-pounder rocket, under Mr. Tyler, Boatswain, and eight men—from Her Majesty's ship "Thistle." Fourth native boat, with 12-pounder howitzer, under Chief-Gunner's Mate of the "Fly," and eight men ; fifth native boat, with cohorn mortar, under Sub-Lieutenant D. M. Ross, and eight men ; sixth native boat, with 24-pounder rocket tube, under Lieutenant Forsyth, and eight men—under Commander Bruce, Her Majesty's ship "Fly." The troop boats and boats for the wounded were in



charge of Dr. Lloyd, surgeon, and Mr. Vosper, Boatswain of Her Majesty's ship "Fly," and followed in the rear.

The military force consisted of one officer and 20 men of the Royal Artillery, with one gun (a brass 12-pounder howitzer), three officers, and 125 men of the 10th Regiment, and 15 Marines temporarily attached, Major Dunlop, Royal Artillery, Special Commissioner, and Mr. Swettenham, Assistant Special Commissioner, accompanied the advanced guard.

The whole force advanced in the prescribed order at about 10 o'clock ; I, myself, leading in the steam gig, having with me Mr. Harrison, Assistant Paymaster of this ship.

When about 600 yards from the first stockade at Qualla Biah the enemy opened fire on our boats, which was at once replied to, but we were unable to silence them or drive them out of the stockade until our boats were within 300 yards of and enfilading it, and the Artillery had brought their gun into play, when, after having received no reply to our fire for some time, the troops advanced and took possession and found it abandoned. Two guns were captured here.

Continuing our way up the river, I directed rockets and shell to be thrown into the jungle at intervals to clear the way for the troops (who burnt the houses on their way as they advanced), and about a mile below Passir Sala (now in view), the enemy again made a stand, and opened fire on us with their rifles, but with no effect, and they were soon dislodged ; nearing Passir Sala to about 1,000 yards, two guns were brought to bear on us, and also a fire of musketry on our flank ; the latter was, however, quickly silenced by the advancing troops, while the boats shelled and rocketted the village of Passir Sala, taking up a posi-

tion at 600 yards ; the practice from the 7-pounder gun and rockets was excellent. After having completely silenced the enemy's fire, we moved the boats up, and the troops advancing at the same time, we took possession of the stockade, and found it abandoned. Three guns were taken, and in the Maharajah Lela's house (inside the inner stockade), the greater part of the late Mr. Birch's property was discovered ; his two boats were also found undamaged, moored alongside the bank. It was now four o'clock, and after giving the men their dinner, I crossed over the river to Camponj Gaga, at Major Dunlop's request, taking with me Commander Bruee, Sub-Lieutenant Abbott, Mr. Harrison, and a party of seamen, and burnt the Datu Saga's house. Unfortunately, in executing this Inspector Laggis, of the Police, was severely wounded by a spear thrown by a native. It was now getting dark, and, after burning the stockade and all the houses in the Maharajah's camponj, the troops were embarked, and the whole force descended the river and arrived at the Residency at 8 P.M., having completely effected our object, with but one casualty—that of Inspector Laggis.

It is impossible to estimate the loss sustained by the enemy, as they invariably carry off their dead and wounded, but I have reason to believe it is considerable.

The next morning the seamen and Marines returned to their ships.

I desire to express my thanks to Major Dunlop, Special Commissioner in Perak, for the great assistance he gave me in organizing the naval part of the expedition, and also to Captain Whitla, commanding the troops, for the hearty manner in which he co-operated with me in every particular in an enterprise in which it was above all things

necessary we should act in concert, and it is to this that I attribute chiefly the success of the day.

Owing to the extreme shallowness of the river and the rapidity of the current, the work of poling the gunboats was a most arduous one, the men being also exposed all day to a very hot sun ; and my thanks are due to Commander Bruce, of Her Majesty's ship "Fly," who was most zealous and energetic in carrying out the duties intrusted to him, and also to the officers and men of both ships, who, not only on this accasion, but in the difficult work of transporting stores, &c., from Durian Sebatanj to Banda Bahru, showed the greatest cheerfulness and alacrity.

I have, &c.,  
(Signed) F. STIRLING,  
Commander and Senior Officer,  
Straits of Malacca.

*Vice-Admiral Alfred P. Ryder,  
Commander-in-Chief, China Station.*

#### OPERATIONS AGAINST THE DISAFFECTED MALAYS ON THE PERAK RIVER.

SIR, *Kinta, December 29, 1875.*

I HAVE the honour to report that, with reference to a letter received by me from his Excellency the Governor of the Straits Settlements requesting me to proceed to Banda Bahru, on the Perak River, within five miles of the scene of the murder of the late Mr. Birch, I embarked Major-General Colborne, C.B., at Penang, and proceeded immediately to the Dindings, proceeding up the Perak River in Her Majesty's ship "Fly" as far as Durien Sabatang, the highest point in the river to which a gun vessel can proceed, and in my galley reached Banda Bahru on the 1st of December.

On our arrival there we consulted with Major

Dunlop, R.A., Her Majesty's Commissioner for Perak, as to the advisability of proceeding up the river to Blanga, and as it was agreed no time should be lost in doing so, Major Dunlop proceeded in the most energetic manner, and with great difficulty succeeded in obtaining a sufficient number of native boats from friendly Chiefs, with Chinese polers, to convey 200 troops and 70 seamen, with two rockets and two guns, up the river.

At Banda Bahru every exertion was made to convert four native boats into gun and rocket boats for the Naval Brigade, and to get sufficient supplies up from Durien Sabatang; and flat-bottomed boats, which had been provided from Singapore, were altered to carry Control stores.

On the 8th of December the combined forces (40 Royal Artillery, two guns; 100 1st Battalion 10th Regiment; 100 80th Regiment; 70 Naval Brigade, two rockets and two guns) left Banda Bahru, but, owing to the strength of the current (four knots an hour), the difficulties and delays that will occur with a flotilla of 45 boats crowded with troops, and poled by Chinese under an intensely hot sun, made the progress up the river slow, and we were unable to do more than seven or eight miles in the course of the day. On the 8th we encamped for the night on a dry, sandy island half a mile above Passir Sala: on the 9th at Passir Gorem; on the 10th at Pulo Telor; on the 11th about half a mile above Bhota; on the 12th two miles below Blanga.

On the morning of the 13th the troops marched into Blanga, and the gun and rocket boats took up their position opposite the campong (village).

We found that ex-Sultan Ismail and his men had recently left, evidently in a great hurry, as numbers of boxes packed for travelling lay about.

From information gained we knew that the ex-Sultan could not be far off, on his road towards Kinta, the capital of Perak, the Major-General, the Commissioner, and I agreed that by pushing on the forces in pursuit that day we should prevent the enemy building strong stockades and otherwise intercepting our advance, and this view was afterwards confirmed by finding incomplete stockades on the track.

Leaving 50 men of the 10th Regiment to garrison Blanga, and 22 officers and seamen in charge of the boats, we advanced through the jungle, following the track of the ex-Sultan. When about two miles from Blanga we met some opposition, the rear guard of the ex-Sultan having felled trees and interlaced them with bushes at a turning in the jungle path.

The advanced guard of the 10th Regiment, under Lieutenant Paton, came suddenly on this obstacle, and a volley was fired down the road as well as from both flanks by the enemy. The rockets of the Naval Brigade and a gun of the Royal Artillery were immediately got into position, and after firing a couple of rounds from each, the advanced guard making use of their rifles, the Malays retired.

I regret to say that Dr. Randell, Principal Civil Medical Officer, Straits Settlements, was shot through the thigh. No other casualty, however, occurred, and the force proceeded, feeling their way cautiously, the enemy retiring, firing occasional shots without result.

About 4 P.M. we arrived at a strong stockade, at which the enemy made a short stand, but a round from a rocket drove them out.

This last stockade was evidently intended to have been a formidable place of defence had time been given them to have completed their work.

It was evident the ex-Sultan Ismail and suite were only a short distance ahead of us, making their retreat to Kinta on elephants.

Every endeavour was made to overtake him, but in consequence of the men of the Naval Brigade having to carry the 24-pounder rockets and tubes, and the great difficulty of moving the guns along the jungle path, full of obstacles such as fallen trees, swampy ground, deep mud, &c., our progress was so much impeded that we were unable to come up with him.

At 7.30 P.M. we arrived at a spot where water could be obtained, and it being quite dark we encamped for the night about seven miles from Blanga. The next day was employed in getting up supplies, and on the 15th we marched to Papau, a distance of six or seven miles farther on. The progress through the jungle, owing to the difficulties already mentioned, not exceeding a mile per hour.

On the evening of the 16th Mr. Swettenham, one of Her Majesty's Deputy-Commissioners for Perak, proceeded to the front to reconnoitre, accompanied by the friendly Rajah Mahmoud and his followers, and on the morning following the force advanced to within half a mile of Kinta, from where, after firing guns and rockets in the direction of the town, the forces proceeded on the march.

On entering Kinta some light guns were fired by the Malays, but they were soon silenced by the guns and rockets, and the enemy fled hastily up the river. The forces then marched in and took possession, and are now encamped here waiting instructions.

Nine (9) brass guns were captured in the camp.

Information was received last evening that ex-Sultan Ismail, the Maharajah Lela, and their



followers, were retreating with all haste to Patani, a dependency of Siam.

I wish to express my thanks to the Major-General Commanding for his courtesy in keeping me always acquainted with his intended movements, and the greatest cordiality exists between the sister services.

Great credit is due to Major Dunlop, R.A., Her Majesty's Commissioner, for the efficient manner in which he organized the coolie transport, and for the tact he displayed in the management of the Chinese, overcoming the great difficulties in transporting sufficient supplies for 250 men over 22 miles of jungle path. This, combined with his duties as Commissioner, entailed severe work upon him.

Mr. Swettenham, Deputy Commissioner, rendered good service to the Expedition. From his acquaintance with the Perak River and perfect knowledge of the Malay language he was enabled to give much information, which materially assisted the flotilla in the ascent of the Perak River to Banga, and also to gain much useful information on the march to Kinta, personally going to the front to reconnoitre.

I beg to bring to your favourable consideration the conduct of Commander Singleton, of Her Majesty's ship "Ringdove," who acted as my second in command. His services were of great value to me, and he carried out my orders with promptitude, displaying great energy and sound judgment.

The conduct of the Naval Brigade was most satisfactory, and I have no hesitation in saying that no body of officers and men could have worked better. The almost insurmountable difficulties that constantly occurred were cheerfully and energetically encountered.



I have as yet received no official report of the proceedings of the Naval Brigade on the Laroot River ; but I understand they are on their way down the Perak River to Blanga.

Since the Expedition has started the Almighty has granted us most favourable weather, and I am thankful to say the health of the Naval Brigade is most satisfactory.

I enclose a report of the numbers of officers and men composing the Brigade.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) ALEX. BULLER,  
Captain and Senior Officer,  
Straits Division.

*The Secretary, Admiralty.*

*Head Quarters, Kinta,  
December 29, 1875.*

SIR,

I HAVE the honour to enclose, for the information of my Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, a rough sketch showing the position of the troops and ships occupying and blocking the Peninsula of Perak. It shows how completely the country is now in the possession of the British Government.

The natives are gradually gaining confidence at the different stations where the troops are quartered, and are returning to their homes, bringing in fresh supplies for the forces.

The Punglemi, or chief of the village, has promised to report himself to-day at head-quarters, and we hope to gain some valuable information from him.

Ex-Sultan Ismail and Maharajah Lela are in the jungle, but their exact position is not known.

The Naval Brigade is distributed as follows :—

At Blanga, sixty men and officers ; at Kinta,

forty-eight men and officers ; at Quetta, Kanza, twenty-five officers and men.

'As soon as the feeling of the country towards the British Government is more fully understood I propose, with the concurrence of the Major-General Commanding, to re-embark the men in their respective ships.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) ALEX. BULLER,  
Captain and Senior Officer,  
Straits Division.

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*Return of Officers and Men forming Naval Brigade employed on the Perak River, and in the march to Kinta (vide Captain Buller's letter of this date) :—*

At Kinta.—Captain Alexander Buller, Her Majesty's Ship "Modeste ;" Commander U. C. Singleton, Her Majesty's Ship "Ringdove ;" Lieutenant John P. Pison, and Mr. John Grant, Gunner, Her Majesty's Ship "Modeste ;" Dr. A. Gonham, Surgeon, "Ringdove ;" Mr. W. C. Gillies, Assistant-Paymaster ; Mr. G. Smith Midshipman, and 28 petty officers and seamen, Her Majesty's ship "Modeste ;" 13 petty officers and seamen Her Majesty's ship "Ringdove." Total—7 officers, 41 seamen.

At Banga.—Mr. Walter T. Warren, Sub-Lieutenant, Her Majesty's ship "Modeste" ; Mr. T. B. Hughes, Navigating Sub-Lieutenant, Her Majesty's ship "Ringdove" ; Dr. Charles C. Gedding, Surgeon, and six petty officers and seamen, Her Majesty's ship "Modeste" ; 11 petty officers and men, Her Majesty's ship "Ringdove" ; two petty officers and men, Her Majesty's ship "Thistle." Total 3 officers, 19 seamen. Grand total—10 officers, 60 seamen.

FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 25,*  
 1876.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,*  
*February 25, 1876.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty will hold a Levee at Buckingham Palace, on Monday, the 6th of March next, at three o'clock.

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REGULATIONS  
 TO BE OBSERVED WITH REGARD TO THE LEVEE  
 AT BUCKINGHAM PALACE.

*By Her Majesty's Command.*

The Noblemen and Gentlemen, who propose to attend Her Majesty's Levee, at Buckingham Palace, are requested to bring with them two large cards, with their names *clearly written* thereon, one to be left with the Queen's Page in Attendance, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to The Queen.

PRESENTATIONS.

Any Nobleman or Gentleman who proposes to be presented to The Queen, must leave at the Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, *before twelve o'clock*, two clear days before the Levee, a card with his name written thereon, and with the name of the Nobleman or Gentleman by whom he is to be presented. In order to carry out the existing regulations that no presentation can be made at a Levee excepting by a person actually attending that Levee, it is also necessary

that an intimation from the Nobleman or Gentleman who is to make the presentation, of his intention to be present, should accompany the presentation card above referred to, which will be submitted to The Queen for Her Majesty's approbation. It is Her Majesty's command that no presentations shall be made at Levees, except in accordance with the above regulations.

It is particularly requested, that in every case the names be *very distinctly written* upon the cards to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, in order that there may be no difficulty in announcing them to The Queen.

#### ADDRESSES.

Notice is hereby given, that all persons having Petitions or Addresses to present to the Queen at Her Majesty's Levee, are to deliver a card (having on it their names, a statement of the object of such Petitions or Addresses and the names of the persons from whom they come), to the Lord Chamberlain's Office, *before twelve o'clock* two clear days previous to the Levee : and that two other cards, having on them precisely what is written upon that sent to the Lord Chamberlain's Office, are to be taken to the Levee : one of the two cards to be delivered to the Page in the Corridor, and the other to the Lord Chamberlain, who will read its contents to The Queen ; and on these occasions, no other statement is to be addressed to Her Majesty.

A Deputation to present an Address is not to exceed Four Persons.

The State Apartments will be open for the reception of Company coming to Court at two o'clock.

HERTFORD,

Lord Chamberlain.

*St. James's Palace, February 24, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant-General Sir Francis Seymour, Bart., K.C.B., to be Her Majesty's Master of the Ceremonies, in the room of General the Honourable Sir Edward Cust, G.C.L., resigned.

The Queen has also been pleased to appoint Lieutenant-Colonel the Honourable Charles Hugh Lindsay to be one of the Grooms in Waiting in Ordinary to Her Majesty, in the room of Lieutenant-General Sir Francis Seymour, Bart., K.C.B., resigned.

The Queen has also been pleased to appoint Lieutenant-General Sir Francis Seymour, Bart., K.C.B., to be Extra Groom in Waiting to Her Majesty.

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*Whitehall, February 23, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto General Sir Edward Cust (commonly called the Honourable Sir Edward Cust), of Leasowe Castle, in the parish of Wallasey, in the county palatine of Chester, Knt., late Her Majesty's Master of the Ceremonies, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten.

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*Foreign Office, February 10, 1876.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Augustus Henry Mounsey, Esq., now a Second Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service, to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Yedo.

*Crown Office, February 24, 1876.*

MEMBERS returned to serve in the present  
PARLIAMENT.

*East Suffolk.*

Frederick St. John Newdegate Barne, Esq., of  
Sotterley Hall, Suffolk, in the place of Arthur  
Philip Stanhope (commonly called Viscount  
Mahon), called up to the House of Peers.

*February 25*

*County of Berks.*

Philip Wroughton, of Woolley Park, Wantage,  
Esq., in the place of Richard Benyon, Esq., who  
has accepted the office of Steward of Her  
Majesty's Manor of Northstead.

(H. 1346.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, February 24, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received through  
the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy  
of a Notice issued by the Greek Government,  
stating that all arrivals from Syria will be  
admitted to free pratique.

(H. 1364.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, February 24, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received through  
the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy  
of a Notice issued by the Portuguese Govern-  
ment, declaring the port of Rio de Janeiro infected  
with yellow fever since the 1st January last.

*Admiralty, 24th February 1876.*

*The Royal Marines.*

The undermentioned Gentleman has been appointed a Lieutenant in the Royal Marine Light Infantry, viz. :—

George Arthur Gott. Dated 23rd February, 1876.

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*War Office, Pall Mall.*

*25th February, 1876.*

*1st Regiment of Dragoon Guards*, Lieutenant Francis James Walker, from the 38th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice E. H. R. Crofton, transferred to the 5th Lancers. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*2nd Dragoon Guards*, Captain Arthur Hunt retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*2nd Dragoons*, The surname of the Sub-Lieutenant transferred from the 7th Hussars, in the Gazette of 28th ultimo, is Hippisley, and not Hipplesley, as therein stated.

*5th Lancers*, Lieutenant Joseph Edward Lucas Thackwell resigns his Commission. Dated 26th February, 1876.

Sub-Lieutenant George Richard Tufton, from the 19th Hussars, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant J. E. L. Thackwell, resigned. Dated 26th February, 1876.

Sub-Lieutenant Charles Reginald Orde, from the 4th Dragoon Guards, to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice C. L. A. Skinner, transferred to the 4th Hussars. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*21st Hussars*, Lieutenant John McDougall, from the 72nd Foot, to be Lieutenant, in succession



to Sub-Lieutenant R. J. H. Garner, resigned.  
Dated 26th February, 1876.

*Grenadier Guards*, Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel the Honourable Charles F. Crichton retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*Coldstream Guards*, Quartermaster Alexander Falconer retires upon half-pay. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*Scots Fusilier Guards*, Surgeon-Major John Ashton Bostock, C.B., retires upon half-pay. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*3rd Foot*, Major Walter Augustus Daubeney retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*4th Foot*, Sub-Lieutenant John Edward Troyte to be Lieutenant. Dated 6th January, 1875.

Lieutenant Edward Herbert Fitzherbert to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant E. W. Stokes, promoted. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*10th Foot*, Captain and Brevet Major F. Browne Sandwith, to be Major, vice G. E. Bulger, retired on full-pay. Dated 9th February, 1876.

Lieutenant Arthur Henry Handley to be Captain, vice Brevet Major F. B. Sandwith. Dated 9th February, 1876.

Lieutenant Hamilton William Palmer retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 26th February, 1876.

Sergeant-Major George Brennan to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant A. H. Handley. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*14th Foot*, Lieutenant Thomas Middleton Robinson to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant

R. G. F. Pigott, appointed to the Depôt of his Regiment. Dated 7th October, 1875.

*17th Foot*, Lieutenant Thomas F. Hussey de Burgh to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant C. E. G. Burr, promoted. Dated 27th December, 1875.

*19th Foot*, Lieutenant John Rose Vincent, from the 1st Dragoon Guards, to be Lieutenant, in succession to Sub-Lieutenant O'D. C. Grattan, transferred to the 8th Foot. Dated 26th February, 1876.

Lieutenant Richard Foord resigns his Commission. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*20th Foot*, Lieutenant De la Pere Robinson to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant E. P. T. Goldsmith, promoted. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*21st Foot*, Lieutenant Joseph Napier Tew to be Captain, vice H. Feilden, retired. Dated 9th February, 1876.

Lieutenant Edmund Henry Dalgety retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*22nd Foot*, Lieutenant Theodore Hugh Gough Rhoades retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*23rd Foot*, The restoration to full-pay of Captain James Hardie Fraser, from half-pay, late 67th Foot, dated 19th January, 1876, is cancelled.

*26th Foot*, Lieutenant William Blakeway Burton to be made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Lieutenant Instructor at the School of Musketry. Dated 17th January, 1876.

*27th Foot*, Captain Nicholas Edward Carr, from half-pay, late 10th Foot, to be Captain, vice

William Pott, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant Londonderry Militia. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*36th Foot*, Sub-Lieutenant Charles Edward Drummond Telfer, from the 38th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession, to Lieutenant T. A. Montresor, deceased. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*57th Foot*, Sub-Lieutenant David Farhill St. Clair resigns his Commission. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*60th Foot*, Lieutenant John Aubrey Williams retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 26th February, 1876.

Lieutenant Humphrey David Parry Okeden to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant W. Tilden, promoted. Dated 15th December, 1875.

*61st Foot*, Sub-Lieutenant Mervyn E. Archdall, from the 12th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice C. F. B. Wodehouse, transferred to the 77th Foot. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*63rd Foot*, Lieutenant Arthur George Millar retires from the Service, receiving the value of an Ensigncy. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*68th Foot*, Lieutenant William Gordon to be Captain, vice C. C. Oldfield, retired. Dated 9th February, 1876.

Lieutenant Arthur Courtney Hilliard, from the 109th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice W. Gordon. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*69th Foot*, Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Duncan Stewart, from half-pay, late 92nd Foot, to be Captain, vice Brevet Major R. FitzGerald, promoted. Dated 26th February, 1876.

Sub - Lieutenant Archibald Lennox Milliken Napier, from the 106th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice A. G. Burn, transferred to the 43rd Foot. Dated 26th February, 1876.

Sub-Lieutenant Archibald William Cutlar Ferguson, from the 50th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice C. W. H. Evans, transferred to the 50th Foot. Dated 26th February, 1876.

Lieutenant Edward Peregrine Townley to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant W. R. D. S. Glendonwyn, promoted. Dated 6th January, 1876.

*70th Foot*, Captain Edward Pearson retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*71st Foot*, Lieutenant Francis Maude Reid to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant R. C. Singleton, promoted. Dated 28th January, 1876.

*72nd Foot*, Lieutenant Henry Powell Gore Langton, from the 97th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice J. M'Dougall, transferred to the 21st Hussars. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*73rd Foot*, The promotion to the rank of Captain of Lieutenant J. B. Doncaster is antedated to the 2nd November, 1875

*92nd Foot*, Captain Edmund Alexander Charles Campbell retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*101st Foot*, Lieutenant Walter Gordon Norcott to be Captain, vice N. Ellis, promoted. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*109th Foot*, Captain John Potham, from half-pay, late 7th Foot, to be Captain, vice J. E. Harden, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appoint-

ment of Adjutant Westmeath Militia. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*Rifle Brigade*, Captain James Whybrow, from half-pay, late 58th Foot, to be Captain, vice A. H. S. Montgomery, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant Kildarc Militia. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*Unattached List*, The third Christian name of Sub-Lieutenant Frith, appointed in the Gazette of the 11th instant, is *Cokayne*, and not as therein stated.

The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Sub-Lieutenants :—

Henry Wallace Edgcome Georges. Dated 26th February, 1876.

Richard Davies Garnons-Williams. Dated 26th February, 1876.

Francis Broadwood. Dated 26th February, 1876.

Edward Hodding Peacock. Dated 26th February, 1876.

Herbert Eversley Belfield. Dated 26th February, 1876.

Henry Bowles. Dated 26th February, 1876.

Horace Lockwood Smith-Dorrien. Dated 26th February, 1876.

William Maurice Creighton. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*Medical Department*, Surgeon-Major Thomas Teevan, from half-pay, to be Surgeon-Major, vice James Leitch, M.D., whose restoration to full-pay has been cancelled. Dated 26th February, 1876.

For Surgeon-Major Robert Fleetwood Andrews is placed upon temporary half-pay, dated 19th December, 1873, which appeared in the Gazette of 20th January, 1874,

*Read*, Surgeon-Major Robert Fleetwood Andrews retires upon half-pay. Dated 19th December, 1873.

*Veterinary Department*, Veterinary-Surgeon (on probation) John Henry Steel resigns his Commission. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*Chaplains' Department*, Chaplain of the Third Class the Reverend R. G. Codrington to be Chaplain of the Second Class. Dated 15th January, 1876.

### BREVET.

The surname of the Officer of the Bengal Staff Corps, who was granted the honorary rank of Colonel on retirement, in the Gazette of the 4th January, 1876, is Basevi, and not Bassevi, as therein stated.

Captain and Brevet-Major Nugent Macnamara, retired Royal Marine Artillery, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 21st January, 1876.

Quartermaster Alexander Faleoner, Coldstream Guards, to have the honorary rank of Captain on retiring upon half-pay. Dated 26th February, 1876.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary Robert George Davies, Warrant Officer, Bengal Establishment, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 28th April, 1875.

Senior Apothecary Thomas Bowyer Turnbull, Madras Establishment, to have the honorary and local rank of Surgeon on his retirement from the Service. Dated 26th February, 1876.

The undermentioned Officers, having completed the qualifying service, to be Colonels:—

Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Hale, 7th Hussars. Dated 22nd February, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward William Bray, 4th Foot. Dated 24th February, 1876.

The undermentioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces to be granted a step of honorary rank on retirement, as follows :—

*To be Major-Generals.*

Brevet Colonel William John Doveton, Madras Infantry. Dated 26th February, 1876.

Brevet Colonel Henry Manning Elliott, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 26th February, 1876.

Brevet Colonel Arthur Chauncy Phillips, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*To be Colonels.*

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Lloyd Malcolm Evans, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 26th February, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Mills White, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 26th February, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Lopes Pereira, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 26th February, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Caulfield, Madras Cavalry. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*To be Deputy Surgeon-General.*

Surgeon-Major George Mackay, Madras Establishment. Dated 26th February, 1876.

The honorary rank of Lieutenant of the undermentioned Warrant Officers, Bengal Establishment, to be antedated, as follows:—

Assistant-Commissary H. Smith, to 7th December, 1872.

Assistant-Commissary P. Riordan, to 7th November, 1874.

The undermentioned Warrant Officers, Bengal 1876.



Establishment to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, but junior of that rank for one year :—

Deputy Assistant-Commissary Lawrence Lesmond.  
Dated 28th April, 1875.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary James Cargin.  
Dated 28th April, 1875.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary M. Collins. Dated  
28th April, 1875.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary John Modget.  
Dated 28th April, 1875.

#### MEMORANDUM.

The undermentioned Officers retire from the Service, receiving the value of their Commissions :—

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel John Edward Sharp, half-pay, late Staff Officer of Pensioners. Dated 5th February, 1876.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel John Dawson, half-pay, late 6th Foot. Dated 5th February, 1876.

Captain Edward Pulleyne, half-pay, late 8th Hussars. Dated 5th February, 1876.

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*War Office, 25th February, 1876.*

#### MILITIA.

##### *Cambridge.*

Major Lancelot Reed is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 26th February, 1876.

##### *2nd Royal Cheshire.*

Lieutenant James Boughey Monk Lingard resigns his Commission. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*1st Durham.*

Richard Lluellyn, Esq., late Captain, to be Major.  
Dated 26th February, 1876.

*Royal Glamorgan.*

Captain Robert William Llewellyn resigns his  
Commission. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*Hants (Isle of Wight) Artillery.*

Lieutenant Charles Septimus Berthon resigns his  
Commission. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*West Kent.*

Lieutenant Charles William White resigns his  
Commission. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*3rd Middlesex, or Royal Westminster.*

Alfred William Channer, Esq., late Lieutenant  
21st Foot, to be Captain. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*4th or Royal South Middlesex.*

Henry James Graham, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 26th February, 1876.

James Hope, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 26th February, 1876.

Spencer Collinson Blackett, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 26th February, 1876.

*Royal Monmouth.*

Edward Henry Vere Haldane, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 26th February, 1876.

*Shropshire.*

Captain Herbert Pryce Jones resigns his Commission. Dated 26th February, 1876.

Edward Roger Iacson; Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*1st Somerset.*

William Stuekey Wood, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 26th February, 1876.

*2nd Somerset.*

Captain Vineent Upton Langworthy to be Major, vice G. R. Edgell, resigned. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*West Suffolk.*

Nathaniel Walter Barnardiston, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*2nd Royal Surrey.*

Harry Evelyn Stracey Pocklington, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 26th February, 1876.

*The Queen's Own Royal Tower Hamlets.*

Captain Lewis Percival, 1st Battalion Rifle Brigade, to be Adjutant. Dated 21st February, 1876.

Adjutant Lewis Percival to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 21st February, 1876.

*Worcester.*

Kenneth Griffiths Buchanan, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 26th February, 1876.

*East York.*

Sub-Lieutenant Ralph Gerald Lionel Rees-Webbe to be Lieutenant. Dated 16th August, 1873.

Sub-Lieutenant Laurenee St. John Brodrick to be Lieutenant. Dated 11th February, 1874.

*The Royal Aberdeenshire Highlanders.*

Alexis Charteris Sinclair Erskine, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 26th February, 1876.

*Royal Cork City Artillery.*

Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel John Longfield resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*Donegal.*

Charles John Lloyd Davidson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*Royal South Down.*

Sub-Lieutenant Seymour Charles Hale Monro resigns his Commission. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*Kerry.*

Assistant - Surgeon Clement Peat resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*Leitrim.*

Sub-Lieutenant Henry McGildowny Mills resigns his Commission. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*Limerick City Artillery.*

Lieutenant Christopher Cooper resigns his Commission. Dated 26th February, 1876.

## YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

*Berks.*

John Hargreaves, Esq., to be Captain. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*Royal East Kent.*

Lieutenant Alured Denne resigns his Commission.  
Dated 26th February, 1876.

*West Kent.*

The Honourable Frederick Amherst, late Captain  
14th Hussars, to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary),  
Dated 26th February, 1876.

*Nottinghamshire (Southern Nottinghamshire)*

William Arkwright, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant  
(Supernumerary). Dated 26th February, 1876.

*Shropshire.*

Francis Leveson Gower, Viscount Tarbat, to be  
Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 26th February, 1876.

## EXCHEQUER BILLS.

THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice to the holders of Exchequer Bills issued under the authority of the Act 29 Vic., c. 25, and dated the 11th March, 1872, that the Interest thereon for the half-year ending on the 11th March, 1876, will be payable at the Bank of England, on and after the 11th March next; and that the Interest of such Exchequer Bills for the following half-year, to September 1876, will be at the rate of three pounds per centum per annum.

All holders of Exchequer Bills dated the 11th March, 1872, who intend to demand payment of the principal sums therein contained at the expiration of the fourth year of their currency, must leave the said Bills at the Bank of England for examination, not later than the 8th March next, between the hours of ten and two; and payment of the

said principal sums will be made at the Bank on and after the 11th day of March next.

Treasury Chambers, Whitehall,  
February 25, 1876.

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FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 29,*  
1876.

*War Office, February 29, 1876.*

THE following Despatches and Enclosures have been received at the War Office from the Major-General Commanding Her Majesty's Forces in China and the Straits Settlements :—

*Camp Srimananti,*

SIR, *December 25, 1875.*

I HAVE the honour to report, for the information of Major-General Colborne, C.B., that I left Terrachee at 10 A.M. yesterday, having previously detailed a party of the same strength as detailed in my report of 24th instant, under Lieutenant-Colonel Hill, of my regiment. I passed Parit about 10.30, and halted there for some little time, the guides' information being so conflicting ; at last I determined on marching through the hills as instructed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Penang, and arrived within sight of Srimananti at 4 P.M.

I discovered several of the Malays running away, and one shot was fired on our advance guard, who immediately replied and they knocked over one man.

My attention was then called to what appeared

to be a strong redoubt on a small hill, I detached a party under Captain Channer and another under Captain Rankin to take the enemy in flank, while with the guns and part of the 10th Foot, I tried to find a range for the guns ; this was difficult as it was all rice swamp in front.

I then proceeded along the side, covered by the jungle, and soon found myself in rear of the earthwork. I sent to warn Captains Rankin and Channer of my position and to keep out of the line of fire. I expended five rounds and sounded the advance. Two men had been observed on the position, but when the Goorkhas charged it there were none ; I bivouacked for the night.

2. To-day I took possession of the enemy's guns, &c., numbering six, two that were burst already, and a lot of small arms, powder, &c.

3. Lieutenant-Colonel Hill reports that he "started from Terrachee on the 24th, at 9.30 A.M., and perceived the Malays on the hills, detached a flanking party to them, and about sixty of the enemy retired over the hills. Fired two 24-pounder rockets at them. Proceeded at 11.15 A.M., burning Gumatie on the way ; arrived at Dato Moar's house at 1.15 noon, which he skirmished up to with the Goorkhas ; a few shots were fired at the Malays, and they ran away ; halted at Dato Moars for the night, distance from Terrachee about six miles, and on 25th December (to-day) I started at 7.30 A.M., arriving and forming a junction with Lieutenant-Colonel Clay ; no opposition, and several Malays came in with white flags to sue for peace."

I have, &c.,

(Signed) E. BERTIE CLAY, Lieut-Col.,  
Commanding Malacca Column.

*The Assistant Quartermaster-General,  
Perak Field Force, Penang.*



*Camp Terrachee,**December 24, 1875.*

SIR,

I HAVE the honour to report, for the information of Major-General Colborne, C.B., that I marched the whole force under my command from Rassa on the 18th instant, having previously detached the columns, as per margin\*, under command of Lieutenant-Colonel Clay, and Lieutenant-Colonel Hill.

2. Lieutenant-Colonel Hill with his party marched as far as Datu Klana's house, distant from Rassa three miles; there the road branched off to Pantay; he halted that night and proceeded the next morning. A copy of his report is annexed.

3. I was detained the whole of that day at Datu Sultan's house (distant from Rassa  $3\frac{1}{2}$  miles) for want of coolies, and here I may mention that is the only difficulty I have experienced throughout during the whole of these arrangements, although I have been most ably assisted by Captain Murray, "Rassa," and by Mr. Kinnersly; but I am of opinion that had a properly organized transport corps been formed, all would have worked smoothly.

\* Lieutenant-Col. Clay's Column—1 gun and 1 mortar, under Lieutenant Rigg, R.A., 100 and 72 rounds respectively, 22 Artillerymen and 36 9-pounder rockets.

Lieutenant North, R.E., with intrenching tools.

Lieutenant Hinxman and Lieutenant Payton, 10th Foot, with 41 rank and file.

Captain Channer, Lieutenant Churchill, detachment 1st Goorkhas and 200 rounds per man.

70 Arah Contingent under Captain De Jantause.]

Lieutenant-Col. Hill's Column—30 seamen H.M.S. "Thistle," under Captain Serling, and 2 officers with 83 24-pounder rockets.

Lieutenant Henriques, R.A.—1 gun and 100 rounds, and 10 Artillerymen, detachment 1st Goorkhas with 200 rounds per man, and Captain Mercer.

4. On the 20th I marched from Datu Sultan's to the foot of the Bukit Putas Pass, and the same afternoon I detailed a party of 50 men under Captain Channer as a reconnoitring party, Lieutenant North, Royal Engineers, accompanying.

After a delay of three hours Captain Channer wrote to me, that from the density of the jungle it was impossible to discover the correct position of the stockade ; I then directed him to proceed as close as possible to the stockade as he could, and ascertain as to its whereabouts, and report if a range could be found for my guns and rockets. About five o'clock I heard some smart firing opened from where Captain Channer's party should be. I at once ordered the detachment, 10th Regiment, accompanied by Lieutenants Hinxman and Peyton, to fall in, and proceeded myself at their head up the pass, to within 40 yards of the stockade ; but I found the road so blocked up by felled trees and bamboo brushwood that it was impenetrable. Here I must say that the party for a few moments were thrown into confusion by the Arah contingent firing a volley in our rear. I went back and enquired the cause, and learnt that they had not fired into the 10th, but into a party of Goorkhas who were above them, on the left ; I then turned up to the left, up a very steep side of the hill, where I found the party of Goorkhas in support of Captain Channer's detachment, and found Captain Channer and his party had taken one stockade, and opened fire on others a little below them : copy of Captain Channer's report is annexed. Here I must mention the gallant conduct of Captain Channer : he proceeded cautiously with a party of 25 Goorkhas, as if he were on a sporting expedition ; he advanced himself to within a few yards of the stockade, the enemy

had kept no look out, they were cooking at the time, Captain Channer seized the opportunity, and followed immediately by two men named in the margin,\* was the first to jump into the stockade; he found it occupied by 25 or 30 men: the first man Captain Channer, shot dead with his revolver, and the two Goorkhas each shot his man, they were soon followed by the rest of Captain Channer's party; having expelled the Malays, Captain Channer opened a smart fire on the other two (2) stockades, and soon emptied them. In this affair 6 were killed in the stockade, and doubtless some were wounded from that and the other stockades, but the Malays always carry off their dead and wounded (if they have time), but they must have suffered, as proved by the track of blood left behind.

All this was not accomplished without some small loss on our side; and I have to report the death of Nague Bukit Sing Raic, and Sepoy Dulcet Thappa dangerously wounded in the neck, and two sepoy wounded in the foot by native ranjons.

Of Captain Channer's gallantry, coolness, and intrepidity I cannot sufficiently express my approval; and a separate report will be submitted for the favourable consideration of Major-General Colborne, C.B. The conduct of his men was equally good; and I trust the Major-General may be urged to express his approval of their behaviour.

By the taking of these stockades most serious obstacles have been overcome, and great saving of life.

5. 21st December, 1875.—Marched to Bandolc, distance  $4\frac{1}{2}$  miles, which was reported to be strongly stockaded. Coming out of the pass I

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\* Sepoy Buleer Ghurtie and Sepoy Jeetman Thappa, B Company 1st Goorkhas.

burnt two stockades, evidently just erected, but spared houses that were not fortified, or where no offensive weapons were found.

6. 23rd December, 1875. Terraehec, distant 7 miles, crossing a stream several times through rice cultivation and swamp, effected a junction with Lieutenant-Colonel Hill's party all well.

7. In conclusion I must record my thanks to all officers and men for the cheerful and willing manner all have worked, being half rationed part of the time and wet through every day. To the 1st Goorkhas specially my thanks are due, for having borne the brunt of the hard work.

To Lieutenant-Colonel Hill and his party my earnest thanks are due, for although they met with no active opposition, still they were not to be deterred, and made a flank march via Pantay, under most unfavourable circumstances, meeting with the Moar River (which they crossed seventeen times), swamps, and the most dense jungle, there is but little doubt that their march has had a good moral effect.

8. I forgot to mention that Captain Channer took an iron gun, about a 4-pounder, in the stockade which he attacked.

I have, &c.,

(Signed)

E. BERTIE CLAY,  
Lieutenant-Colonel Commanding  
Malaeca Column.

*To the Assistant Quartermaster-General,  
Perak Field Force, Penang.*

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*Terrachee,*

SIR,

*22nd December, 1875.*

I HAVE the honour to report that in accordance with orders received I started from the Datu

Klana's house near Rassa, on 19th December, at 10.30 a.m., with instructions to make a flank march on Tertutchie, via Pantay, with a force as per margin.\*

1. The force reached a small mountain stream called Sunjie Ramie (leaving Pantay on the left), the last water on this side of the range at 2.30 p.m., about seven miles, a fair jungle track with several streams to cross, made a clearing in the wood to encamp, rear guard arriving at 5 p.m.

On 20th started at 9 A.M., crossed the dividing range about 1400 feet above level of sea, arriving at Moar River flowing east at 3 P.M.—distance about 7 miles; very bad jungle track; rear guard arriving at 6 o'clock.

On 21st started at 7.30 A.M., made 5 miles, arriving valley Teratchie; crossing and re-crossing Moar River, an almost imperceptible jungle track. At 10 A.M. found a steep hill obstructed with felled trees, the bed of the Moar River being staken with ranjons; with great difficulty and labour circumvented these difficulties; at 12 noon came across a stockade or kubo, skirmished up to it, taking it in rear with the Goorkhas, and bringing the 7-pounder gun to bear upon it a few Malays occupied the place but evacuated without firing a shot; entered the Teratchie valley at 3 P.M., several of the enemy retreating eastward toward Sriminanti, where I am informed there are two stockades; cleared the valley and force took up position for night, before doing so I sent out a force under Captain Stirling, R.N., to reconnoitre towards

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\* 123 Goorkhas—120 rounds ammunition, 17-pounder steel gun, 10 Artillerymen, 100 rounds; 30 seamen and mines, H. M. S. "Thistle," 36 24-pounder rockets. Goorkhas.—Commander, Captain Mercer.—Party from H.M.S. "Thistle," Captain Stirling, Mr. Harrison, Mr. Beattie.—Artillery, Lieutenant Henriquez, R.A.

Bukit Putas, and cut off the enemy who were said to be retreating, but he was unable to interrupt them as they took to the jungle on the hills bounding valley.

On 22nd formed junction with column under Colonel Clay, marching out at 7 a.m., returning to position at 10 a.m.

2. I have the honour to state that the conduct of the troops under my command was most excellent under circumstances the most trying any force could have encountered, progressing through an almost impereceptible jungle track over high hills, crossing and recrossing mountain streams and swampy dense forest under torrents of rain, and having every night to clear dense jungle to enable the troops to bivouae.

3. I am indebted to Mr. Daly, Survey Department, for information regarding distances noted by him at the time.

The march would have been impossible without the intelligence obtained from Malay scouts by Captain Murray, Resident at Rassa, who accompanied the force, and to this officer's indefatigable exertions with regard to the Chinese coolies who formed our transport, and one of our greatest difficulties, we are entirely indebted for the success of this harassing march. To Captain Stirling and officers R.N., Captain Mereer, Goorkhas, and Lieutenant Henriques, R.A., I owe hearty thanks for their assistance and aid rendered to me at all times.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) R. SALE HILL, Lieut.-Col.,  
Officer Commanding 1st Goorkhas L.I.

*To the Staff Officer,  
Malacca Column.*



*Camp, Terrachee,**December 22, 1875.*

SIR,

I HAVE the honour to report that agreeably to orders received on 20th December, 1875, from officer commanding Malacca column, I reconnoitred the ground towards Bukit Pass, with the view of ascertaining the practicability of a good position for guns and the situation of enemy's stockades. I was accompanied by Lieutenant North, R.E., and A Company 1st Goorkhas, numbering fifty rank and file. I started from Camp, Dato Pando, at 10 A.M., and after proceeding a mile towards pass turned up to left and proceeded up a mountain side and along ridge through dense tree jungle for three miles ; as the guides with me evidently knew nothing of the position of the enemy I returned and then proceeded straight up towards the pass. At 4 P.M. after marching a mile along the bed of a torrent, I found the road completely blocked up by felled trees ; I threw out flanking parties, and leaving a rear guard with Lieutenant North to cut through the tree jungle, I saw one of the enemy's log stockades, a palisade enclosed it, and the ground was covered with ranjons (crows' feet of sharp bamboos) I jumped over and heard the Malays talking inside, and taking the opportunity of their careless look out, I rushed in with two or three men, and took the stockade, which was held by 25 or 30 Malays : a fire was at once opened on me from a lower stockade 80 yards off, and from one on my right 160 yards across the pass ; getting the men under cover, I kept up a steady fire on both stockades. The enemy, after half an hour's firing, evacuated the lower stockade, and shortly afterwards the one on the right. Reinforcements from camp and my rear guard came up at sunset, when the lower stockade was occupied (the enemy



lost five killed), four in the first stockade taken. Of the first Goorkhas, one Naick was killed, and one Sepoy severely wounded, two others slightly with ranjons ; it was impossible to ascertain the number of the enemy killed or wounded in the other stockades.

The stockades were strongly built of logs, loop-holed, and the jungle between each was almost impassable. All these commanded the entrance to the pass. I have to thank Lieutenant North, R.E., for the assistance he afforded throughout. The Goorkhas behaved steadily and well.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) G. N. CHANNER, Captain,  
1st Goorkhas.

*To the Staff Officer,  
Malacca Column.*

*Whitehall, February 26, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto the Reverend Hugh Pearson, M.A., the place and dignity of a Canon of Her Majesty's Free Chapel of Saint George, in Her Majesty's Castle of Windsor, void by the death of the Honourable and Reverend Edward George Moore.

*Whitehall, February 23, 1876.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to ordain and declare that Maria Louisa Carleton, Spinster, the only sister of Dudley Wilmot, now Baron Dorchester, shall henceforth have, hold, and enjoy the same title, place, pre-eminence, and precedence to which she would have been entitled had her father, Richard Carleton, Clerk (commonly

called the Honourable and Reverend Richard Carlton), survived his nephew, Guy, late Baron Dorchester, and thereby succeeded to the title and dignity of Baron Dorchester :

And to command that Her Majesty's order and declaration be registered in the College of Arms.

*Whitehall, February 23, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Harry Tyrwhitt Tyrwhitt, of Keythorpe Hall, in the parish of Tugby, in the county of Leicester, Esquire (commonly called the Honourable Harry Tyrwhitt Tyrwhitt), Sub-Lieutenant in the Regiment of Grenadier Guards, eldest son and heir-apparent of Sir Henry Thomas Tyrwhitt, of Stanley Hall, in the county of Salop, Baronet, and of Emma Harriet, his wife, Baroness Berners, in her own right, the only child and heir of Robert Wilson (commonly called the Honourable Robert Wilson), Clerk, Rector of Ashwellthorpe and Wreningham, both in the county of Norfolk, deceased, and niece and heir of Henry William Wilson, Baron Berners, also deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that he may, in compliance with a clause contained in the last will and testament of his maternal great uncle, the said Henry William Wilson, Baron Berners, take and use the surname of Wilson only, in lieu of that of Tyrwhitt, and bear the arms of Wilson ; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect :

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

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*Crown Office, February 26, 1876.*

MEMBER returned to serve in the present  
PARLIAMENT.

*Borough of East Retford.*

William Beckett Denison, of Meanwood Park,  
Yorkshire, Banker, in the place of Viscount  
Galway, deceased.

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(H. 1671.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, February 28, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received through  
the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy  
of a Telegram from Her Majesty's Ambassador  
at Constantinople, announcing the re-appearance  
of plague in Mesopotamia, and the establishment  
of a sanitary cordon.

(S. & C. 213.)

*Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall,  
February 28, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received from the  
Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch  
from Her Majesty's Consul at Calais, reporting  
that an additional tax of 45 centimes per regis-  
tered ton is now levied on all merchandize vessels  
entering the port of Calais, thus raising the total  
tonnage dues to 95 centimes per registered ton.  
The additional tax, which took effect from the 1st  
January last, is levied in consequence of new  
works about to be undertaken with a view of  
enlarging and improving Calais Harbour.

(S. & C. 258.)

*Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall,  
February 28, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received from the  
Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch

from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Berlin, reporting that an Imperial Decree has recently been issued removing the restrictions hitherto imposed on the export of horses from Germany to foreign countries.

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*Admiralty, 26th February, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 26th June, 1867—

Retired Navigating Lieutenant George Patterson has been allowed to assume the rank and title of Staff Commander from the 16th August, 1875.

*Admiralty, 28th February, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Arthur Shirley Hamilton has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 25th instant.

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*India Office, 26th February, 1876.*

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the transfer to the Half-Pay List of the Staff Corps of the undermentioned Officers :—

**BENGAL STAFF CORPS.**

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Brougham Chalmers.

Dated 1st January, 1876.

Major William George Murray. Dated 14th February, 1876.

Captain John Henry Baldwin. Dated 17th March, 1876.

FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 3,*  
 1876.

*War Office, March 3, 1876.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Charles Rivers Wilson, Esq., Comptroller-General of the Office for the Reduction of the National Debt, to be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

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*India Office, December 31, 1875.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to nominate and appoint—

The Rajah Damara Kumara Venkatappa  
 Nayuda Bahadur Varu, Zemindar of Kala-  
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Sirdar Mangal Sing Ramgharia, Honorary  
 Magistrate of Amritsar,

Babu Degumber Mitter, late Sheriff of Calcutta,  
 Maulavie Imdad Ali Khan Bahadur,

Muhammad Ali Asghur Ali Khan of Rampore,  
 to be Companions of the Most Exalted Order of  
 the Star of India.

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*Foreign Office, March 2, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Ernest Héritte as Consul at Dublin for the French Republic; of Mr. F. W. Hennings as Consul for the Fiji Islands, to reside at Levuka, and of Mr. John Matthews as Vice-Consul for

Penzance, Mount's Bay, St. Ives, and Hayle, for the German Empire ; of Mr. J. Salmon as Consul at Aden for His Majesty the King of the Netherlands : of Mr. W. Montgomery as Consul for the Middle and South Islands of New Zealand, to reside at Christchurch, for His Majesty the King of Sweden and Norway ; of Mr. George E. Hoskinson as Consul at Kingston, Jamaica, for the United States of America ; of Mr. George Offor as Consul in London and of Mr. J. W. Shaw as Consul at Liverpool for the Republic of Liberia ; of Mr. Jorge B. Day as Consul at Montreal for the Argentine Republic ; and of Mr. Frederick A. Heyn as Vice-Consul at Belfast for His Majesty the King of the Hellenes.

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*Downing Street, February 29, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Daniel Power Trench, Esq., Collector-General for the Island of Jamaica, to be an Official Member of the Legislative Council of that Island.

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*Crown Office, March 2, 1876.*

MEMBER returned to serve in the present  
PARLIAMENT.

*Borough of Horsham.*

James Clifton Brown, of Holmbush, Horsham, Sussex, Esq., in the place of Robert Henry Hurst, Esq., whose election has been determined to be void.

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*Whitehall, February 12, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Mary Agnes Airey, of Aikerigg-End, near Ken-

dal, in the county of Westmorland, Spinster, daughter of John Airey, late of Stodday Lodge, in the parish of Ashton-with-Stodday, in the county palatine of Lancaster, Gentleman, deceased, and of Betsy Airey, his wife, Her Royal licence and authority that she may, in compliance with a clause contained in the last will and testament of George Atkinson Gelderd, late of Aikerigg-End aforesaid, Esquire, deceased, take and use the surname of Gelderd in lieu of that of Airey :

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms, otherwise to be void and of none effect.

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(S. & C. 326.)

*Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall,  
March 2, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Decree of the French Government, dated 17th ultimo, declaring the Custom-house of Tréport open (1) to the importation of merchandize taxed at more than 20 francs per 100 kilos, or named in Art. 8 of the law of the 27th March, 1817 ; (2) to the importation of machines and machinery ; (3) to the transit of non-prohibited merchandize.

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*Admiralty, 29th February, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Staff Commander Frederick Townsend has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.



*Admiralty, 1st March, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 5th February, 1872—

Sub-Lieutenant Arthur Hamilton Dundas Beaver has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 7,*  
1876.

*India Office, March 7, 1876.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to nominate and appoint—

Major-General Samuel James Browne, C.B., V.C., Bengal Staff Corps, President of the Stud Commission, and on special duty with His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, Major-General Dighton Macnaghten Probyn, C.B., V.C., Bengal Cavalry, Equerry to His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, and Surgeon-General Joseph Fayrer, M.D., C.S.J., Honorary Physician to the Queen, and Physician to His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales,

to be Extra Knights Commanders of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India.

Her Majesty has been further pleased to nominate and appoint—

Philip Sandys Melvill, Esq., Bengal Civil Service, Agent to the Viceroy and Governor-General of India at Baroda,

Colonel James Michael, Madras Staff Corps,  
 Secretary to the Government of Madras,  
 Military Department,  
 Captain the Honourable Henry Carr Glyn,  
 R.N., C.B., Aide-de-Camp to the Queen,  
 Colonel William Earle, Grenadier Guards,  
 Military Secretary to the Viceroy and Governor-General of India,  
 Captain Evelyn Baring, R.A., Private Secretary  
 to the Viceroy and Governor-General of  
 India,  
 Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Edward Augustus  
 Ellis, Grenadier Guards, Equerry to His  
 Royal Highness the Prince of Wales,  
 Major Philip Durham Henderson, Madras  
 Cavalry, Officer on special duty, Kashmir,  
 and Political Officer on the Staff of His  
 Royal Highness the Prince of Wales,  
 to be Companions of the said Most Exalted Order ;  
 and  
 Major Edward Ridley Colbourne Bradford,  
 Madras Staff Corps, General Superintendent  
 of the operations for the suppression of  
 Thuggee and Dacoitce, and on special duty  
 with His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales,  
 to be an Extra Companion of the said Order of  
 the Star of India.

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*Foreign Office, March 1, 1876.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Robert Burnett David Morier, Esq., C.B., now Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires to the King of Bavaria, to be Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the King of Portugal.

*Whitehall, March 4, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to nominate and appoint John Millar, Esq., one of the Lords of Session, to be one of the Lords of Justiciary in Scotland, in the room of Charles Neaves, Esq., resigned.

*Whitehall, February 16, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto John Dale Stennett, of Chiswell-street, in the parish of St. Luke, Finsbury, in the county of Middlesex, Ironmonger, Her Royal licence and authority that he may, in compliance with a direction contained in the last will and testament of John Dale, late of Chiswell-street aforesaid, Wholesale Ironmonger, deceased, take and henceforth use the surname of Dale only, instead of that of Stennett :

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms, otherwise to be void and of none effect.

*Whitehall, February 29, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Frederick Somervell, of Hazelthwaite, in the parish of Windermere, in the county of Westmorland, Gentleman, and to Mary Agnes, his wife, daughter of John Airey, late of Stodday Lodge, in the parish of Ashton-with-Stodday, in the county palatine of Lancaster. Gentleman, deceased, by Betsey Airey, his wife, formerly Betsey Gelderd, Her Royal licence and authority, that they may, in compliance with an injunction contained in the last will and testament of George Atkinson Gelderd, late of of Aikerigg End, near Kendal, in the county of Westmorland, Esquire, deceased,

take and henceforth use the surname of Gelderd, in lieu of that of Somervell, and that such surname of Gelderd only, be borne by the issue of their marriage :

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms, otherwise to be void and of none effect.

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(H. 1845.)

*Board of Trade, (Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, March 6, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, information to the effect that the Board of Health at Monte Video have, in consequence of the prevalence of yellow fever at Rio de Janeiro, imposed a quarantine of fifteen days upon all vessels from that port dating from the day of sailing.

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*Admiralty, 3rd March, 1876.*

The undermentioned Navigating Sub-Lieutenants have been promoted to be Navigating Lieutenants in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of the 2nd instant :—

Henry Grey.

Lucas George Stovin.

Charles Clifford Peel Bawden.

Edmond Evans Greaves.

Thomas Barrington Moody.

Philip Henry Wright.

Frederick John Lobb.

*Admiralty, 4th March, 1876.*

*The Royal Marines.*

The undermentioned promotion has taken place in the Royal Marine Artillery ; viz. :—

Lieutenant Vivian Dalton Mathias to be Captain, vice Owen Thomas Jones, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant 1st North Riding of Yorkshire Artillery Volunteer Corps. Dated 17th February, 1876.

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*War Office, Pall Mall.*

*7th March, 1876.*

*2nd Regiment of Dragoon Guards*, Captain Bowyer Wenman Cave-Browne-Cave, from half-pay, late 9th Lancers, Adjutant Royal Wiltshire Yeomanry Cavalry, to be Captain, vice A. Hunt, retired upon temporary half-pay. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*5th Dragoon Guards*, Sub-Lieutenant William Walter Dundas to be Lieutenant. Dated 6th January, 1875.

Sub Lieutenant John Ripley MacMurray resigns his Commission. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*1st Dragoons*, Captain Henry Stephen Swiney retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*3rd Hussars*, Captain Walter Henry Starkey retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*5th Lancers*, Sub-Lieutenant Montmorency Beaumont resigns his Commission. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*7th Hussars*, Lieutenant William Blakeney Persse Trousdell retires from the Service, re

ceiving the value of a Cornetcy. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*11th Hussars*, Lieutenant Livingston Thompson to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant St. J. S. Taylor, promoted. Dated 18th January, 1876.

Quartermaster Rourke Teevan retires upon half-pay. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*17th Lancers*, Captain Samuel Boulderson to be Major, vice T. Gonne, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Military Attaché at Vienna. Dated 8th March, 1876.

Lieutenant James Fane Alexander to be Captain, vice S. Boulderson. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*18th Hussars*, Lieutenant James Stuart to be Captain. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*Grenadier Guards*, Lieutenant and Captain David Maitland Makgill Crichton to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, vice the Honourable C. F. Crichton, retired. Dated 26th February, 1876.

Sub-Lieutenant Alexander Fownes Luttrell, from the Rifle Brigade, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant and Captain C. S. Corkran, promoted. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*Coldstream Guards*, Lieutenant and Captain Reginald Pole-Carew to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant and Captain H. C. A. F. W. Aldenburg - Bentinck, promoted. Dated 7th February, 1876.

Serjeant - Major William Ellis Reynolds to be Quartermaster, vice A. Falconer, retired upon half-pay. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*1st Foot*, Sub-Lieutenant Hamilton William Broadley, from the *11th Hussars*, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant G. H. B. Coats, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*3rd Foot*, Captain John Blaksley to be Major, vice W. A. Daubeny, retired. Dated 26th February, 1876.

Lieutenant Arthur Trevor Leslie to be Captain, vice J. Blaksley. Dated 26th February, 1876

*9th Foot*, Captain and Brevet Major William Crosby Harvey to be Major, vice H. M. Beresford, retired. Dated 19th January, 1876.

Lieutenant Marsden Samuel James Sunderland to be Captain, vice Brevet Major W. C. Harvey. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*10th Foot*, Lieutenant-Colonel Joseph P. H. Crowe, V.C., retires upon full-pay. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*12th Foot*, Lieutenant Charles Thomas Jackson Dowler retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*13th Foot*, Sub-Lieutenant George Astell Pardoe, from the 24th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice H. A. Ravenshaw, transferred to the 73rd Foot. Dated 8th March, 1876.

Lieutenant John Miller Elgee Waddy to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant J. G. Westaway, promoted. Dated 14th January, 1876.

*15th Foot*, Lieutenant Clarence George Scott Pigou retires from the Service, receiving the value of an Ensigny. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*16th Foot*, Captain Cecil Percival Stone, from the 25th Foot, to be Captain, vice H. H. A. Cameron, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant Huntingdon Militia. Dated 8th March, 1876.

Sub-Lieutenant Edwin Arthur Nicholletts resigns his Commission. Dated 8th March, 1876.



Paymaster and Honorary Major William Banbury, from the 45th Foot, to be Paymaster. Dated 8th March, 1876.

18th Foot, Captain William Henry Ashe, from half-pay, late 64th Foot, to be Captain, vice T. C. Wray, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant Wexford Militia. Dated 8th March, 1876.

20th Foot, Captain Thomas Picton Fleetwood, from half-pay, late 8th Foot, to be Captain, vice C. E. Hussey, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant 7th Royal Lancashire Militia. Dated 8th March, 1876.

23rd Foot, Captain Joseph Harris, from half-pay, late Military Train, to be Captain, vice J. H. Fraser, whose restoration to full-pay, dated 19th January, 1876, has been cancelled. Dated 8th March, 1876.

26th Foot, Lieutenant John Russell Mecham to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant W. B. Burton, appointed Lieutenant instructor of Musketry at the School of Musketry. Dated 15th July, 1875.

38th Foot, *For* John Stewart Macartney Hume, in succession to Lieutenant H. Conor, *retired.* dated 28th April, 1875, as stated in the Gazette of the 28th January, 1876,

*Read,* John Stewart Macartney Hume, in succession to Lieutenant H. Conor, *promoted.* Dated 28th April, 1875.

55th Foot, Lieutenant G. Francis William MacMahon has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps.

58th Foot, Quartermaster Charles Lenton, from the 62nd Foot, to be Quartermaster, vice Wil-

liam King, who exchanges. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*62nd Foot*, Quartermaster William King, from the 58th Foot, to be Quartermaster, vice Charles Lenton, who exchanges. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*63rd Foot*, Lieutenant Charles John Sherer Whittall, who has ceased to be a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps, from the Supernumerary List, to be Lieutenant, vice A. G. Millar, retired. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*70th Foot*, Captain Augustus Richard Trimmer, about to be appointed to the Militia, retires upon half-pay. Dated 8th March, 1876.

Lieutenant Edward Richard Spicker Brander, to be Captain, vice E. Pearson, retired. Dated 26th February, 1876.

The rank as Lieutenant in the Army of Lieutenant Alfredo Montanaro to be antedated to 14th October, 1871, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to the 18th December, 1875.

*73rd Foot*, Sub-Lieutenant Harold Alexander Ravenshaw, from the 13th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice Richard Brian De Kavanagh Boulger, whose appointment, dated 12th February, 1876, has been cancelled. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*74th Foot*, Lieutenant Henry Lucas St. George Stewart retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*80th Foot*, Captain Charles Edward Whitaker Roworth, from 105th Foot, to be Captain, vice H. J. Brown, who exchanges. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*81st Foot*. Lieutenant the Honourable Hugh Arbuthnott retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*86th Foot*, Captain Charles Ware, from half-pay, late *91st Foot*, to be Captain, vice E. J. Harris, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant, Royal South Down Militia. Dated 8th March, 1876.

Lieutenant William Law Brockman to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant J. Spence, who has resigned that appointment. Dated 8th March, 1876.

Lieutenant William Henry Hardwieke Jackson to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant W. L. Brockman. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*92nd Foot*, Lieutenant Alexander Donald McGregor to be Captain, vice E. A. C. Campbell, retired. Dated 26th February, 1876.

Lieutenant Francis Farquharson Ramsey, from the *28th Foot*, to be Lieutenant, vice A. D. McGregor. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*101st Foot*, The restoration to full-pay of Captain Richard Hamilton, from half-pay, late *27th Foot*, dated 9th February, 1876, to be cancelled, he having died on the 6th idem.

The appointment as Adjutant of Lieutenant H. Hare to be antedated to the 22nd September, 1875.

*105th Foot*, Captain Henry James Brown, from the *80th Foot*, to be Captain, vice C. E. W. Roworth, who exchanges. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*107th Foot*, Captain Charles Patton Chambers to be Major, vice George Llewellyn Smith, deceased. Dated 17th February, 1876.

Lieutenant Edwin Wardroper, to be Captain, vice C. P. Chambers. Dated 17th February, 1876.

*Rifle Brigade*, Sub-Lieutenant Nigel Richard Fitzhardinge Kingscote, from 22nd Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice A. F. Luttrell, transferred to the Grenadier Guards. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*1st West India Regiment*, Lieutenant George James Marshall to be Captain, vice W. Cole, deceased. Dated 27th November, 1875.

Arthur Walter Lyster, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant G. J. Marshall. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*Medical Department*, Surgeon-Major James Carroll, M.D., retires on half-pay. Dated 26th January, 1876.

Surgeon-Major Charles Christopher Piper retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 7th February, 1876.

Surgeon Robert Whittington Lowe, M.D., retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 17th January, 1876.

*To be Surgeons.*

Fredrick Charles Cresswell Hewett, Gent. Dated 30th September, 1875.

William John Le Grand, M.D. Dated 30th September, 1875.

Robert James Taaffe, M.B. Dated 30th September, 1875.

John Findlay, M.B. Dated 30th September, 1875.

William Hamilton Briggs, Gent. Dated 30th September, 1875.

Thomas William Thompson, Gent. Dated 30th September, 1875.

Ernest Harrold Fenn, Gent. Dated 30th September, 1876.

Hans Beresford Fleming, Gent. Dated 30th September, 1875.

Charles Alexander Daubeney, Gent. Dated 30th September, 1875.

William Armstrong Burges, M.D. Dated 30th September, 1875.

Philip Glover Ievers, Gent. Dated 30th September, 1875.

Patrick Aloysius Hayes, Gent. Dated 30th September, 1875.

William Mawer James, Gent. Dated 30th September, 1875.

Kingston Dodd Lloyd Kirkwood, Gent. Dated 30th September, 1875.

*Veterinary Department*, Veterinary - Surgeon Richard Poyser, Royal Artillery, to be Veterinary-Surgeon of the First Class. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*Half-Pay*, Lieutenant William Percy, from the 9th Lancers, to be Captain. Dated 8th March, 1876.

### BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Hackett, 76th Foot, having completed the qualifying service to be Colonel. Dated 30th September, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Pierce, Bengal Staff Corps, having completed the qualifying service, to be Colonel. Dated 8th October, 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel Joseph P. H. Crowe, V.C., 10th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Colonel upon retiring on full-pay. Dated 8th March, 1876.

Captain Joseph Harris, 23rd Foot, to be Major. Dated 5th July, 1872.

Captain George Cuthbertson Bower, half-pay, late 44th Foot, to be Major. Dated 8th March, 1873.

Quartermaster Rourke Teevan, 11th Hussars, to have the honorary rank of Captain upon retiring upon half-pay. Dated 8th March, 1876.

Quartermaster Richard W. Jones, 3rd Royal Surrey Militia, to have the temporary rank of Quartermaster in the Army while doing duty with a Brigade Dépôt. Dated 8th March, 1876.

Surgeon-Major James Carroll, M.D., to have the honorary rank of Deputy Surgeon-General upon retiring on half-pay. Dated 26th January, 1876.

Surgeon-Major John Ashton Bostock, C.B., half-pay, late Scots Fusilier Guards, to have the honorary rank of Deputy Surgeon-General. Dated 26th February, 1876.

The following promotions to take place consequent on the death, on 1st February, 1876, of General Henry, Viscount Melville, G.C.B., Colonel-Commandant of the 60th Foot:—

Lieutenant-General Studholme John Hodgson, Colonel 54th Foot, to be General. Dated 2nd February, 1876.

Major-General John Studholme Brownrigg, C.B., to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 2nd February, 1876.

Brevet Colonel George William Powlett Bingham, C.B., from Lieutenant-Colonel, Brigade Dépôt, to be Major-General, dated 28th June, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 2nd February, 1876.

Major Richard Hussey Vivian, 14th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 2nd February, 1876.

Major Edmund Leach, 50th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 2nd February, 1876.

Captain William Sanders, Royal Marines, to be Major. Dated 2nd February, 1876.

The undermentioned promotions to take place in your Majesty's Indian Military Forces consequent on the death of General Sir Henry George Andrew Taylor, G.C.B., Madras Infantry, on the 9th February, 1876 :—

Lieutenant-General Thomas Chase Parr, Bombay Infantry, to be General. Dated 10th February, 1876.

Major-General Christopher Birdwood, Bombay Infantry, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 10th February, 1876.

The following promotions to take place on the British Establishment, consequent on the death, on 9th February, 1876, of General Sir Henry G. A. Taylor, G.C.B., Madras Infantry :—

Brevet-Colonel James Conolly, C.B., from Major, half - pay, Unattached, to be Major - General. Dated 28th June, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 10th February, 1876.

Major George Vincent Fosberry, V.C., Bengal Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 10th February, 1876.

Captain Ussher Lee Morris, Royal Marines, to be Major. Dated 10th February, 1876.

The following promotions to take place in accordance with the provisions of the 27th clause of the Royal Warrant of 27th December, 1870 :—

Lieutenant-General Francis Hugh G., Marquis of Hertford, to be General. Dated 10th February, 1876.



Major-General William Montague S. McMurdo, C.B., to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 10th February, 1876.

Major-General William Munro, C.B., to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 10th February, 1876.

Major-General Arnold Charles Errington to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 10th February, 1876.

The undermentioned Warrant Officers to be granted a step of honorary rank as follows:—

Lieutenant and Deputy Commissary Quintin Southey Griffiths, Bengal Establishment, to be Captain. Dated 20th October, 1874.

Lieutenant and Deputy Commissary George Butfoy, Madras Establishment, to be Captain. Dated 28th August, 1875.

Deputy-Assistant Commissary James Tims, Madras Establishment, to be Lieutenant, but junior of rank for one year. Dated 15th November, 1875.

#### MEMORANDUM.

The undermentioned Officers to retire from the Service, receiving the value of their Commissions:—

Captain and Brevet Major George Cuthbertson Bower, half-pay, late 44th Foot. Dated 26th February, 1876.

Captain Edward Fiddes, half-pay, late 1st West India Regiment. Dated 26th February, 1876.

Captain Robert F. Ballantine, half-pay, late 10th Hussars. Dated 26th February, 1876.

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*India Office, 4th March, 1876.*

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of

the following Admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India :—

## BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

### *To be Lieutenants.*

- Lieutenant George Montalt Bellasis, 107th Regiment. Dated 26th September, 1867.
- Lieutenant George Hand More-Molyneux, 37th Regiment. Dated 27th October, 1871.
- Lieutenant Clayton William James Hingston, 62nd Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.
- Lieutenant Robert Gordon Handcock, 36th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.
- Lieutenant John Edward Barr, 109th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.
- Lieutenant William Bernard Wilson, 4th Hussars. Dated 28th October, 1871.
- Lieutenant George Brougham Austin, 109th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.
- Lieutenant Thomas Otho Fitzgerald, 19th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.
- Lieutenant Edward Archibald Young, 11th Hussars. Dated 28th October, 1871.
- Lieutenant William Frederick Hennell, 36th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.
- Lieutenant James Hayes Sadler, 40th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.
- Lieutenant Henry Speneer Wheatley, 65th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.
- Lieutenant George Davidson Campbell Gastrell, 25th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.
- Lieutenant John William Edward Angelo, 17th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.
- Lieutenant Alexander Thomas Weller, 65th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.
- Lieutenant Alexander Masters, 5th Lancers. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Lieutenant Charles Frederick Vice, 85th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Lieutenant Frederick Guy Vivian, 65th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Lieutenant Henry Napier McRae, 8th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Lieutenant Robert Feild Jamieson, 25th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.

### MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

#### *To be Lieutenants.*

Lieutenant Edward Evans Kenney, 56th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Lieutenant Guillum Scott Baugh, 12th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.

### BOMBAY STAFF CORPS.

#### *To be Lieutenants.*

Lieutenant James William Anderson, 83rd Regiment. Dated 5th January, 1870.

Lieutenant Ernest Armond Barclay, 108th Regiment. Dated 6th June, 1871.

Lieutenant Charles Boileau Down, 6th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Lieutenant Henry Snelson Ahmuty Fuller, 8th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Lieutenant William Edward Bristow, 107th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Lieutenant William Caldwell Faure Field, 8th Regiment. Dated 8th May, 1872.

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*War Office, 7th March, 1876.*

### MILITIA.

#### *1st Royal Cheshire.*

The Christian names of Lieutenant Ford, gazetted on the 18th February, 1876, are John Randle

*Minshull*, not *Minshall*, as therein stated. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*2nd or North Durham.*

The Honourable Thomas Horatio Arthur Ernest Cochrane to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 8th March, 1876.

*West Essex.*

Captain John Barker resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 8th March, 1876.

Sidney Pattisson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 8th March, 1876.

Francis Fowler-Jones, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 8th March, 1876.

*Huntingdon.*

Captain Frederick James Rooper is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*West Kent.*

Lieutenant Alexander George John Stewart resigns his Commission. Dated 8th March, 1876.

Stephen Frewen, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th February, 1876.

*4th Royal Lancashire.*

Sub-Lieutenant Arthur Frank Fox to be Lieutenant. Dated 18th March, 1874.

Montagu Heath Hall, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 8th March, 1876.

Gilbert Winter Twilchenbart Moss, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*Royal Lancashire Artillery.*

Lieutenant Augustus Pelham Brooke Loftus resigns his Commission. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*Royal North Lincoln.*

Lieutenant Charles Whichcote Anderson to be Captain. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*1st, or West Norfolk.*

Llewelyn Nevill Vaughan Lloyd-Mostyn, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*West Suffolk.*

Henry Fuller Maitland Wilson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 8th March, 1876.

*2nd Warwick.*

Henry Thomas Shubrick, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 8th March, 1876.

*North York.*

Lieutenant Dugald Stewart Miller resigns his Commission. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*Yorkshire Artillery.*

Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel Marmaduke Jerard Grimston to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice H. T. Fyers, resigned. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*1st West York..*

Major Philip George Hewett is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*2nd West York.*

Captain Albert William Still Barnes resigns his Commission. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*Forfar and Kincardine Artillery.*

Edgar Alfred Guy Raitt, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*Antrim Artillery.*

Sub - Lieutenant John Shaw Exham, from the North Cork Militia, to be Sub - Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 8th March, 1876.

*North Cork.*

Sub-Lieutenant Henry Sherwood Smith, to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Sub-Lieutenant Richard Fitzherbert Smith, to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th April, 1874.

*Monaghan.*

Sub-Lieutenant Thomas Ferdinand Richardson, to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1874.

*1st, or South Tipperary Artillery.*

Major Wills Crofts Gason is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 8th March, 1876.

Frederick John Gough, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 8th March, 1876.

*North Tipperary.*

Sub-Lieutenant Owen Edward Pennefather Lloyd resigns his Commission. Dated 8th March, 1876.

## YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

*Derbyshire.*

Captain Alan Coulston Gardner, 14th Hussars, to be Adjutant. Dated 24th February, 1876.

Adjutant Alan Coulston Gardner to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 24th February, 1876.

*Northumberland.*

Lieutenant William Hargrave Pawson to be Captain, vice C. F. Shum, resigned. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*West Somerset.*

Arthur Francis Bernard, late Lieutenant 23rd Foot, to be Lieutenant. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*Yorkshire Hussars.*

Surgeon William Short resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*1st West York.*

John Hope Barton, Esq., late Captain, is permitted to retain his rank, and to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 9th September, 1874.

*2nd West York.*

Sub-Lieutenant Edward Hildred Carlile resigns his Commission. Dated 8th March, 1876.

Joshua Hirst Wheatley, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 8th March, 1876.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Hertford.*

John Evans, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th February, 1876.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Linlithgow.*

William Forbes Forbes, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 26th February, 1876.



FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 10,*  
 1876.

*Downing Street, March 8, 1876.*

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Sholto Thomas Pemberton, Esq., to be Chief Justice of the Bahama Islands.

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*Downing Street, March 9, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint John Douglas, Esq., C M.G., to be Colonial Secretary of the Straits Settlements.

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(S. & C. 440.)

*Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall,  
 March 9, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Law of the Haytian Government regulating the conditions under which trade is to be carried on both by natives and foreigners in the Republic of Hayti. The document may be seen on application at the Statistical and Commercial Department of the Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall.

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*Admiralty, 7th March, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Navigating Lieutenant Francis Alfred Symes has

been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 4th instant.

*Admiralty, 8th March, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, and 4th February, 1875—

Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets James John Louis Donnet, M.D., has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 5th instant.

*Admiralty, 9th March, 1876.*

The following promotions have been made :—

Sub-Lieutenants :

Arthur Tilson Shaen Carter,  
William Charlton Bolton Johnson,  
Frank Janverin Grassie,  
Douglas Arthur Wright,  
Gerald Elias,  
Ralph William Jones,  
Francis Charles Methuen Noel,  
George Stanley Bosanquet,  
Charles William Poynder Allen,  
Innes Gairdner,  
Maximin Horace William Laborde,

to be Lieutenants in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of the 1st instant.

Sub-Lieutenant Francis John Foley to be Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 9th instant.

The following promotions in Her Majesty's Fleet have this day been made for services rendered during recent operations against Malays in the Straits of Malacca :—

Commander Francis Stirling to be Captain in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Lieutenant Henry Townley Wright to be Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Sub-Lieutenants :

Richard Poore,  
Walter Travers Warren,  
to be Lieutenants in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Surgeon Anthony Gorham, M.D., will be promoted to the rank of Staff Surgeon, with seniority of this date, subject to his passing the qualifying examination.

Henry Thompson, A.B.,  
Harry Bonnett, A.B.,  
David Sloper, A.B.,  
will be awarded the Medal "for conspicuous gallantry."

The name of Lieutenant Robert Thomas Wood has been favourably noted for his services in the same operations.

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*War Office, Pall Mall,*  
10th March, 1876.

*Royal Regiment of Artillery.*

Captain the Honourable Albert Bouchard de Montmorency (late Madras) to be Major, vice W. Manderson (late Madras), deceased. Dated 4th February, 1876.

Captain William Edwards Sharp, from the Supernumerary List, to be Captain, vice the Honourable A. B. de Montmorency (late Madras). Dated 4th February, 1876.

Captain James H. Granville Browne, from the Supernumerary List, to be Captain, vice H. I. E. Ford (late Bengal), placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 11th March, 1876.

Lieutenant Harry Edmund Dolphin to be Captain, vice J. C. Greene (late Bengal), deceased. Dated 18th February, 1876.

Lieutenant Francis Frederick Ditmas to be Captain, vice C. C. Saxton (late Madras), deceased. Dated 21st February, 1876.

Lieutenant Harrison R. L. Morgan, upon the Supernumerary List, to be Captain upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 11th March, 1876.

Lieutenant Arthur Augustus Saunders to be Captain, vice A. H. Maclean, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 11th March, 1876.

Captain Arthur Godolphin Yeatman to be Adjutant, vice G. W. C. Rothe, who resigns the Adjutancy only. Dated 10th February, 1876.

The undermentioned Officers, from the Supernumerary List, to be Captains :—

Captain John Clinton Greene (late Bengal), since deceased. Dated 1st February, 1876.

Captain Robert William Smith (late Bengal). Dated 1st February, 1876.

Captain Henry Norris Jones. Dated 1st February, 1876.

Captain Robert George Swayne Marshall (late Bengal). Dated 1st February, 1876.

Captain Henry Sheil. Dated 1st February, 1876.

The undermentioned Officers, from the Supernumerary List, to be Lieutenants :—

Lieutenant Francis Frederick Ditmas. Dated 1st February, 1876.

Lieutenant Frederic Charles Clarke. Dated 1st February, 1876.

Lieutenant Edmund Baker Standbridge. Dated 1st February, 1876.

Lieutenant Douglas Charles Dean-Pitt. Dated 1st February, 1876.

The undermentioned Officers are placed upon the Supernumerary List, but will not be succeeded while in their present rank :—

Captain George James Gillies. Dated 1st February, 1876.

Captain Charles Frederiek Dixon. Dated 1st February, 1876.

Captain John Frederiek Free (late Bengal). Dated 1st February, 1876.

Captain Frederiek Ekins Blakeney Loraine. Dated 1st February, 1876.

Captain Barrett Lennard Tollner. Dated 1st February, 1876.

Lieutenant Arthur James Pearson. Dated 1st February, 1876.

Lieutenant Francis Horace French. Dated 1st February, 1876.

Lieutenant Edmund Buckle. Dated 1st February, 1876.

Lieutenant John William Yerbury. Dated 1st February, 1876.

Lieutenant Charles Russell. Dated 1st February, 1876.

Lieutenant Eden Moyle Baker. Dated 1st February, 1876.

The undermentioned Gentleman Cadets from the Royal Military Academy to be Lieutenants with temporary rank, viz. :—

Hugh Palliser Hickman, vice N. L. Walford, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 19th February, 1876.

Alfred Heyland Parratt Turner, vice E. C. Bethune, resigned. Dated 19th February, 1876.

Edgar John Garston, vice J. R. Poole, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.

Walter Stanbury Churchward, vice T. B. Reeves, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.

Knightley Stalker Dunsterville, vice G. W. M. Turnbull, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.

Charles Edward Walker, vice C. Larcom, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.

Walter Frederick George Moberly, vice G. A. Beaty-Pownall, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.

Arthur Tracey, vice H. Pipon, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.

Henry Octavius Piers, vice R. P. W. Freeman, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.

Pierson Locke Williams, vice St. A. Molesworth, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.

Andrew Ernest Russell, vice J. F. Maurice, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.

John Elphinstone Hugh Orr, vice C. B. Sandys, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.

William Apsley Smith, vice G. H. Marshall, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.

George Hastings Bittleston, vice C. E. Souper, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.

William John Hicks, vice T. R. Disney, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.

Cecil Arthur Howard, vice J. Day, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.

Arthur Chambers, vice J. Keith, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.

Harry John Croft, vice R. A. Lanning, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.

Edmund Augustine Burrows, vice J. C. Robson, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.

Caldwell Henry Crofton, vice W. H. Auchinleck, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.

Walls court Hely - Hutchinson Waters, vice J. Alleyne, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.

- Charles Dorner Cottrell, vice E. Wighton, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.
- Alfred Henry Carter, vice H. R. G. Craufurd, resigned. Dated 19th February, 1876.
- John Aubrey Lawrence Coker, vice G. W. Buchanan, deceased. Dated 19th February, 1876.
- Edgar Allan Lambart, vice H. W. Gataker, deceased. Dated 19th February, 1876.
- Charles Edward Maturin, vice W. Mallins, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.
- Kenneth Stewart Davison, vice H. T. Stewart, resigned. Dated 19th February, 1876.
- Richard Martin Crofton, vice W. C. Brown, resigned. Dated 19th February, 1876.
- Charles Hubert Blount, vice D. St. L. Hill, deceased. Dated 19th February, 1876.
- Charles Frederiek Magrath, vice P. C. Walker, deceased. Dated 19th February, 1876.
- George Newton Halifax Barlow, vice G. H. Nutting, resigned. Dated 19th February, 1876.
- Francis Henry Moubray Leader, vice H. Stewart, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.
- George Murray Boothby, vice G. T. Carré, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.
- Frederiek Baumgardt Elmslie, vice C. Greer, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.
- Richard Edmund Lyons Dacres, vice G. Montgomery, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.
- Francis Ceeil David Cornish, vice R. P. Hare, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.
- Norman Bruce Inglefield, vice N. M. Burt, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.
- Joseph Maria Gordon, vice L. P. Pennethorne, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.
- Allan Douglas Maedonald, vice H. W. J. Hubback, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.
- Henry Stopford Dawkins, vice W. P. Platt, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.



Henry Capel Lofft Holden, vice T. H. Lloyd, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.

Nigel Maxwell, vice A. J. Saunders, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.

Richard Arthur Milton Henn, vice H. B. Kingscote, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.

Captain Charles Halford Thompson (late Bengal), from the Supernumerary List, retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 16th January, 1876.

Lieutenant Joseph Durham Erskine Huddart resigns his Commission. Dated 11th March, 1876.

Lieutenant Andrew Fountayne England resigns his Commission. Dated 11th March, 1876.

Lieutenant Lord George Francis Montagu resigns his Commission. Dated 11th March, 1876.

The Christian names of Captain Shuttleworth are *Ashton John*, and not *John Ashton*, as stated in the Gazette of 31st December, 1875.

The first initial of Captain Arbuckle's Christian names is "*B.*," and not "*C.*," as stated in the Gazette of 31st December, 1875.

Quartermaster William Graham retires upon half-pay. Dated 11th March, 1876.

*Royal Engineers*, Lieutenant Martin Martin resigns his Commission. Dated 4th February, 1876.

The following Gentleman Cadets from the Royal Military Academy to be Lieutenants with temporary rank, viz :—

Vincent Henry Penalver Caillard, vice T. H. Anstey, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.

Valter Francis Hawkins, vice J. Hill, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.

Mortimer John Slater, vice W. G. Ross, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 19th February, 1876.

Alfred Herbert Randolph, vice R. C. T. Hildyard, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 19th February, 1876.

Louis Charles Jackson, vice W. J. H. Logan-Home, deceased. Dated 19th February, 1876.

Ralph Pudsay Littledale, vice G. T. Plunkett, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1876.

Charles Ernest Commeline, vice M. Martin. Dated 19th February, 1876.

*Half-Pay*, Captain Dallas Gordon Jones, half-pay, Royal Engineers, resigns his Commission. Dated 13th January, 1876.

## COMMISSARIAT AND TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

Deputy Commissary-General Randolph Routh, C.B., to be Commissary-General. Dated 27th November, 1875.

## BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel William John Williams, C.B., Royal Artillery, having completed the qualifying service, to be Colonel. Dated 7th January, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Metcalfe Grain, Royal Engineers, having completed the qualifying service with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonel. Dated 28th January, 1876.

Commissary W. G. W. Robinson to have the local and temporary rank of Assistant Commissary-General, while employed in the Straits Settlements command. Dated 27th November, 1875.

Quartermaster William Graham, retired half-pay, Royal Artillery, to have the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 11th March, 1876.

## MEMORANDA.

In lieu of the words, "vice Sir W. H. Drake, K.C.B., *appointed* Director of Supplies and Transport," which appeared in the Gazette of 17th November, 1871, read "vice Sir W. H. Drake, K.C.B., *Seconded on appointment as* Director of Supplies and Transport." Dated 5th September, 1871.

Controller Sir W. H. Drake, K.C.B., from the Seconded List, has been placed on the Retired Pay List, from 29th September, 1872, he having attained the prescribed age.

Assistant-Surgeon Thomas Walsh, half-pay Royal Artillery, has been permitted to commute his retired allowance. Dated 24th October, 1872.

FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 14,*  
1876.

*Colonial Office, Downing Street,*  
*March 13, 1876.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to make the following appointments to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George :

To be Ordinary Members of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders :—

James Robert Longden, Esq., C.M.G., Governor of the Colony of British Guiana.

Charles Peter Layard, Esq., C.M.G., Government Agent for the Western Province of the Island of Ceylon.

To be Ordinary Members of the Third Class,  
or Companions of the said Order :—

Charles Cameron Lees, Esq., Administrator of  
Her Majesty's Settlement of Lagos, and  
Lieutenant-Governor of the Gold Coast  
Colony.

Arthur Macalister, Esq., Colonial Secretary  
and Premier of the Colony of Queensland.

John Gardiner Austin, Esq., Colonial Secretary  
for the Colony of Hong Kong.

Charles Hutton Gregory, Esq., C.E., Past  
President of the Institution of Civil Engineers,  
and Consulting Engineer for various Works  
in the Colonies.

Hoo ah Kay (Whampoa), Esq., Member of the  
Legislative Council of the Straits Settlements.

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*Foreign Office, February 19, 1876.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to  
appoint the Honourable Henry Prendergast  
Vereker, now Her Majesty's Consul at Pernam-  
bucó, to be Her Majesty's Consul for the Ports  
and Places in the Departments of La Manche and  
Ile et Vilaine, to reside at Cherbourg.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to  
appoint Edward Henry Walker, Esq., lately Her  
Majesty's Consul at Cagliari, to be Her Majesty's  
Consul for the Provinces of Pernambuco, Paraíba,  
Alagoas, Rio Grande do Norte, and Ceará, to  
reside at Pernambuco.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to  
appoint Major Frederic Lewis David to be Her  
Majesty's Vice-Consul at Pensacola.

*Foreign Office, March 10, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to approve of

Mr. N. H. Heydemann as Consul of the German Empire for Bradford and Leeds.

*Foreign Office, March 13, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Don Solomon Lasry as Consul at Gibraltar for the Republic of Nicaragua; of Mr. A. D. Goodwin as Consul at St. John, New Brunswick, for the Oriental Republic of the Uruguay; of Don Salvador Rizzo y Ramirez as Vice-Consul at St. John's, Newfoundland; and of Don Bonifacio Moutas as Vice-Consul at Cardiff for His Majesty the King of Spain.

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(H. 2039.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, March 10, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs information to the effect that in consequence of the appearance of plague at Hillar on the Euphrates, the Egyptian Board of Health have imposed the same restrictions on arrivals from the Persian Gulf as were in force during the late epidemic in Mesopotamia.

(S. & C. 477.)

*Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall,  
March 13, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of the Programme of a General Exhibition of Boots and Shoes to be held at Berne from the 11th of June to the 10th of July, 1876. Intending exhibitors must, before the 31st March, 1876, address the President of the Committee for the Exhibition at Berne, stating their names, describing accurately the articles proposed to be exhibited,

and specifying the amount of space required for the exhibition of the articles. The articles to be exhibited are to be sent to the Committee for the Exhibition. free of charge, before the 20th of May, 1876.

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*India Office, 14th March, 1876.*

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following admissions to Her Majesty's Indian Medical Service:—

To be Surgeons.—30th September, 1875.

BENGAL.

Patrick Alexander Weir.

Peter Johnston Freyer, M.D.

Percy de Haga Haig.

John Lewtas.

John O'Neill, M.D.

MADRAS.

Edward Ferrand.

Francis Hookins Pedroza.

Charles Henry Day.

BOMBAY.

John Wilkins Clarkson.

Joseph Parker, M.D.

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*War Office, 14th March, 1876.*

MILITIA.

*Royal Cardigan.*

John David Arthur Thomas Lloyd, Gent, to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 15th March, 1876.

*Royal Carmarthen Artillery.*

Lieutenant John Handfield Deane Drake resigns his Commission. Dated 15th March, 1876.

*Royal Carnarvon.*

Arthur Kerl Huddart, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 15th March, 1876.

John Harold Platt, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 15th March, 1876.

*1st Derby.*

Lieutenant Robert Fielden to be Captain. Dated 15th March, 1876.

*1st Durham.*

William Pierrepont Wilson-Todd, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 15th March, 1876.

*Durham Artillery.*

William Cholmondeley Morris, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 15th March, 1876.

*Royal Glamorgan Artillery.*

Sub-Lieutenant James Parrott Arrowsmith, from the 5th Royal Lancashire Militia, to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 15th March, 1876.

*Royal North Gloucester.*

Harry Seymour Richardson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 15th March, 1876.

*Hertford.*

Godfrey Henry Thornton, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 15th March, 1876.

*West Kent.*

George Micaiah Williams, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st March, 1876.



*1st Royal Lancashire.*

Captain Edward William Stokes, 4th Foot, to be Adjutant. Dated 6th March, 1876.

Adjutant Edward William Stokes to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 6th March, 1876.

*4th Royal Lancashire.*

Charles Edward Duff, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 15th March, 1876.

*Royal North Lincoln.*

Captain Thomas Cheney Garfit resigns his Commission. Dated 15th March, 1876.

*1st, or West Norfolk.*

Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Edward Bignold resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 15th March, 1876.

*Northumberland Artillery.*

*For* Captain Preston Osborne Page resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement, as notified in the London Gazette of the 8th June, 1875,

*Read,* Captain Preston Osborne Page resigns his Commission, also is granted the honorary rank of Major, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 9th June, 1875.

*The (King's Own) 1st Stafford.*

Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel Pryce Ilbert Harrison to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice C. N. Lane, C.M.G., resigned. Dated 15th March, 1876.

*3rd (King's Own) Stafford.*

Captain Basil Thomas Fitzherbert resigns his Commission. Dated 15th March, 1876.

Lieutenant Hugh Kerr Colville to be Captain, vice the Honourable W. M. Jervis, resigned. Dated 15th March, 1876.

*West Suffolk.*

Sub-Lieutenant Arthur Maitland Wilson resigns his Commission. Dated 15th March, 1876.

*Royal Sussex Artillery.*

Lieutenant Sir Francis Colville Ford, Bart., resigns his Commission. Dated 15th March, 1876.

*2nd Warwick.*

Lieutenant Marcus De la Poer Beresford to be Captain, vice G. T. Grant, deceased. Dated 15th March, 1876.

Lieutenant Robert Lancaster to be Captain, vice M. W. Furness, promoted. Dated 15th March, 1876.

*2nd West York.*

Lieutenant Charles Horder to be Captain, vice A. W. S. Barnes, resigned. Dated 15th March, 1876.

*3rd West York.*

Edmund Thomas Chivers Bower, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 15th March, 1876.

*4th West York.*

Edwin Charles Horatio Price, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 1st March, 1876.

*Royal Limerick County.*

Robert Cuming, Esq., late Captain 99th Foot, to be Captain (Supernumerary). Dated 15th March, 1876.

*North Mayo.*

William Brudenell Murphy, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 15th March, 1876.

*North Tipperary.*

Henry Charles Mansergh, Esq., to be Captain. Dated 15th March, 1876.

## YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

*Denbighshire.*

Augustus Pelham Brooke Loftus, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 15th March, 1876.

*Middlesex.*

Lieutenant Robert Belford Wallis Wilson resigns his Commission. Dated 15th March, 1876.

FROM THE  
LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 17,  
1876.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,  
March 17, 1876.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty's Birthday will be kept on Saturday, the 27th of May next.

*Whitehall, March 16, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend John Clay Worthington Valpy, M.A.,

to the Rectory of Burmarsh, in the county of Kent, and diocese of Canterbury, vacant by the death of the Reverend Henry Jennings Brockhardt.

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(H. 2082.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, March 14, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs copies of Notices issued by the Portuguese Authorities, declaring the ports of the Province of Pernambuco free from yellow fever since the 19th January last, and the ports of Syria free from cholera morbus since the 26th of the same month.

(H. 2082.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, March 14, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs copies of Notices issued by the Portuguese Authorities declaring the port of Havana infected with yellow fever since the 25th November last, and the ports of Santos and of the Province of Rio de Janeiro suspected of yellow fever (the capital of that Empire, however, continuing to be considered as infected with the disease) since the 1st January last.

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*Admiralty, 14th March, 1876.*

Navigating Lieutenant Henry Hosken has been promoted to the rank of Staff Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of the 9th instant.

In accordance with the provisions of Her

Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Navigating Lieutenant Daniel Marshall Browne has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 11th instant.

*Admiralty, 15th March, 1876.*

The Reverend Arthur Castell Wright, M.A., has been appointed Chaplain in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of this date.

*Admiralty, 16th March, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 5th February, 1872—

Sub-Lieutenant Charles Edward Hawker has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

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FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 21,*  
 1876.

*Foreign Office, May 10, 1875.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint the Honourable Hugh Gough, now Attaché to Her Majesty's Legation at Rio de Janeiro, to be a Third Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

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*Whitehall, March 20, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Marlborough Crosse, B.A., to the

Vicarage of Terrington St. Clement's in the county of Norfolk, and diocese of Norwich, void by the cession of the Reverend William Hinton Drake.

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*Whitehall, March 10, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto George Thomas John Bucknall-Estcourt, of Newnton House, in the parish of Newnton, in the county of Gloucester, and of Darrington Hall, in the parish of Darrington, in the West Riding of the county of York, Esquire, in the Commission of the Peace for the counties of Gloucester and Wilts, and one of the Knights of the Shire for the Northern Division of the said county of Wilts, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a clause contained in the last will and testament of his paternal uncle, the Right Honourable Thomas Henry Sutton Sotheron-Estcourt, of Estcourt, in the said county of Gloucester, deceased, discontinue to use the surname of Bucknall, and take and henceforth use the surname of Sotheron, in addition to and before that of Estcourt, and bear the arms of Sotheron quarterly with those of Estcourt, Estcourt in the first quarter; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's said College of Arms.

(H. 2221.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, March 18, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received information through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs to the effect that from the 1st May next, the Chamber of Commerce at Rouen will be authorised to collect the following dues at that port, viz. :—

On all sailing vessels and steamers coming from long voyages or foreign countries, 55 centimes per ton register, on entry.

On all sailing vessels or steamers of any country belonging to a periodic service and entering the port only to touch for the purpose of landing or shipping part of their cargo, one half of the toll only, viz. :— $27\frac{1}{2}$  centimes per ton register.

The following are to be exempt from the toll :—

French vessels engaged in the French coasting or river navigation.

Vessels of all countries which having come in in ballast go out in ballast.

French naval stores.

(H. 2295.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, March 20, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Telegram from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Constantinople, stating that in consequence of plague in Mesopotamia foul bills of health are given at Bussorah and Fao (?), and quarantine is established on the Desert route to Syria.

The Ambassador in a further Telegram intimates that the Egyptian Board of Health enforces quarantine in the case of all arrivals from any portion of the Persian Gulf.



(H. 2341.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, March 20, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Notice issued by the Portuguese Authorities stating that the port of Pernambuco is declared infected with, and all the other ports of the Province suspected of, yellow fever since 1st February last.

(S. &amp; C. 551.)

*Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall,  
March 20, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Madrid, reporting the issue of a Royal Order authorizing the embarkation of iron ore from the Bay of Porcia, in the Province of Oviedo, subject to the supervision of the Custom-house at Tapia; but permission for the disembarkation at that spot of materials for the working of the mines in that district is not granted.

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*Admiralty, 17th March, 1876.*

Mr. Charles M. Johnson has this day been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 9th instant, for his services during the recent operations in the Straits of Malacca.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Navigating Lieutenant George Staunton Brodie has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 15th instant.

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Navigating Lieutenant John M. Lloyd has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 16th instant.

*Admiralty, 20th March, 1876.*

The undermentioned Medical Officer on the Retired List has this day been promoted to the honorary rank of Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets in Her Majesty's Fleet :—

Frederick William Blake, M.D.

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*War Office, Pall Mall,*

*21st March, 1876.*

*2nd Regiment of Life Guards*, Lieutenant Sir George Douglas Clerk, Bart., resigns his Commission. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*5th Dragoon Guards*, Lieutenant James Alexander John Cavan-Irving resigns his Commission. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*11th Hussars*, Lieutenant William Walter Dundas, from *5th Dragoon Guards*, to be Lieutenant, in succession to Sub-Lieutenant Broadley, transferred to 1st Foot. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*15th Hussars*, The legal representative of the late Major David Maxwell is permitted to receive the value of that Officer's Commission, he having survived his application to retire from the Service six weeks.

Captain Henry Hall, from the *19th Hussars*, to be Captain, vice H. W. R. Blackett, who exchanges. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*18th Hussars*, Lieutenant Francis Dale Tagart, from the *12th Lancers*, to be Lieutentant, vice C. H. Simpson, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*19th Hussars*, Captain Henry Wise Ridley Blackett, from *15th Hussars*, to be Captain, vice Henry Hall, who exchanges. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

The second Christian name of Sub-Lieutenant Reynolds, appointed from the Unattached List, is *Edward*, and not *Edwards*, as hitherto stated.

*5th Foot*, Lieutenant Robert Milnes Thornton retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*10th Foot*, The undermentioned Officers retire from the Service receiving the value of their Commissions :—

Captain Henry Master Sproule. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

Captain Abraham Richard Montfort. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*15th Foot*, Sub-Lieutenant John Robert Sandwith, from *27th Foot*, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant C. G. S. Pigou, retired. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*19th Foot*, Major Edward St. John Griffiths retires upon half-pay. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*20th Foot*, Sub-Lieutenant Philip Francis Tallents, to be Lieutenant. Dated 26th February, 1875.

*21st Foot*, Sub-Lieutenant Thomas Henry Vaughan Elwon resigns his Commission. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

Lieutenant Daniel Auchinleck to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant J. N. Tew, promoted. Dated 28th February, 1876.

*22nd Foot*, The restoration to full-pay of Captain Edward Brutton, from half-pay, late *57th Foot*, dated 1st December, 1875, is cancelled.

*32nd Foot*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel

the Honourable Bernard Mathew Ward retires upon half-pay. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*36th Foot*, Captain William Skerrett retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*37th Foot*, Captain John Knox Rutledge, about to be appointed to the Militia, retires on half-pay. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*48th Foot*, Lieutenant Frederiek Deffield Welchman, from the 76th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice C. McClintock Le Blanc, who exchanges. Dated 4th February, 1876.

*63rd Foot*, Lieutenant F. Maenaghten Leslie retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*66th Foot*, Lieutenant William Augustus Callaghan retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*76th Foot*, Lieutenant Charles McClintock Le Blanc, from the 48th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice F. D. Weleberman, who exchanges. Dated 4th February, 1876.

*81st Foot*, Sub-Lieutenant George Endo Chambers, from the 24th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant the Honourable H. Arbuthnott, retired. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*86th Foot*, Lieutenant Charles Hareourt Loraine, retires from the Service, receiving the value of an Ensigney. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*87th Foot*, Captain John Trenchard Tennant, about to be appointed to the Militia, retires on half-pay. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*92nd Foot*, The surname of the Lieutenant transferred from the 28th Foot, in the Gazette of the

7th March, 1876, is Ramsay, and not Ramsey as therein stated.

*Rifle Brigade*, Lieutenant Hugh Henry Mitchell to be Captain, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel C. R. H. Nicholl, promoted. Dated 19th January, 1876.

Lieutenant Robert Lloyd Edwards, from 106th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice H. H. Mitchell promoted. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*1st West India Regiment*, Sub-Lieutenant James Charles Charnock Gray to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th February, 1874.

*Unattached List*, The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Sub-Lieutenants :—

William Mordaunt Marsh Edwards. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

Reginald Curtis Teogood. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

John Shuckburgh Ashby. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

Frederick William Seudamore. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

Francis Harvey Harford. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

Hugh Harry Haworth Aspinall. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*Medical Department*, Surgeon - General John Drope McIlree retires upon half-pay. Dated 28th February, 1876.

Surgeon-General Charles Alexander Gordon, M.D., C.B., to be Honorary Physician to Her Majesty, vice Inspector - General Sir David Dumbreck, K.C.B., M.D., half-pay, deceased. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

#### BREVET.

Lieutenant-General Sir Frederick Paul Haines,

K.C.B., Colonel of the 104th Foot, to have the local rank of General in the East Indies. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Clerk, Madras Staff Corps, having completed the qualifying service, to be Colonel. Dated 30th November, 1875.

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*War Office, 21st March, 1876.*

### MILITIA.

#### *2nd or South Devon.*

Surgeon Edward Morris resigns his Commission. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

#### *1st Durham.*

Herbert Aveling Raitt, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

#### *Royal Glamorgan.*

Alexander Duncan Sim, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 22nd March, 1876.

#### *Royal North Gloucester.*

Captain Sir Michael Edward Hicks Beach Bart., resigns his Commission. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

#### *Huntingdon.*

Lieutenant Algernon Tillard resigns his Commission. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

#### *5th Royal Lancashire.*

Captain William Lynam is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

#### *6th Royal Lancashire.*

Captain Augustus Richard Trimmer, half-pay.

late 70th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 6th March, 1876.

*Royal South Lincoln.*

Charles Arthur Staniland, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*3rd Middlesex, or Royal Westminster.*

Henry James Lermite, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*1st, or West Norfolk.*

Captain Edward Pulleyne resigns his Commission. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*Northampton and Rutland.*

Major Sir John Blencorn Robinson, Bart., is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*Oxford.*

Geoffrey Cecil Twisleton Wykeham Fiennes, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*Royal Pembroke Artillery.*

Reginald Percy Macdonald, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*Royal Sussex Artillery.*

Major Maitland Warren Bouverie Sabine Pasley resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 22nd March, 1876.



*1st West York.*

Major Edward Muscroft resigns his Commission, also is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*6th West York.*

Lieutenant James Augustin de Castro resigns his Commission. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*The Highland Rifle.*

Sub-Lieutenant James Evan Fowler resigns his Commission. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

John Warrender, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*2nd Royal Lanark.*

Captain James Beardoe Doneaster, 73rd Foot, to be Adjutant. Dated 6th March, 1876.

Adjutant James Beardoe Doneaster to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 6th March, 1876.

*Royal Perth.*

Thomas James Graham Stirling, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*North Cork.*

Captain George Hunt Holley, 101st Foot, to be Adjutant. Dated 6th March, 1876.

Adjutant George Hunt Holley to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 6th March, 1876.

*Royal Cork City Artillery.*

Captain James Francis, Viscount Bernard, to be Major. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

Sub-Lieutenant James Caulfield Beamish to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd December, 1873.

*Donegal Artillery.*

Albert Croly, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Super-numerary). Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*Royal North Down.*

George Francis Leslie, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*Kildare.*

Sub-Lieutenant Franz William Wogan Browne resigns his Commission. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

## YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

*Royal North Devon.*

William Ernest Arthur, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*Herts.*

Sub-Lieutenant the Honourable John Hamilton Lawrence to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th April, 1874.

*Leicestershire.*

Captain Henry T. Boulton resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*Nottinghamshire (Southern Nottinghamshire).*

Captain the Honourable Henry Strutt to be Major, vice J. C. Musters, resigned. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*Staffordshire.*

Cromartie Leveson Gower, Marquis of Stafford, late Lieutenant, 2nd Life Guards, to be Captain. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the  
County of Flint.*

Conwy Grenville Hercules Rowley Conwy, Esq.,  
to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 9th March,  
1876.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the  
County of Perth.*

John Stirling, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.  
Dated 17th March, 1876.

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FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 24,*  
1876.

*War Office. March 23, 1876.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Major-General the Honourable Francis Colborne, C.B., Commanding Her Majesty's Troops in China and the Straits Settlements, to be an Ordinary Member of the Military Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath; and Captain Alexander Buller, of the Royal Navy, to be an Ordinary Member of the Military Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Honourable Order.

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*Admiralty, 23rd March, 1876.*

Robert Pottinger, Esq., has been promoted to the rank of Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 5th March, 1876.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870 —

Fleet Surgeon George Duncan, M.D., has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 18th instant.

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*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Durham.*

James John Allison, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 2nd March, 1876.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Ross.*

Hugh Mackay Matheson, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 17th March, 1876.

Kenneth James Matheson, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 17th March, 1876.

Osgood Hanbury Mackenzie, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 18th March, 1876.

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THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice in accordance with the 8th section of the 38 and 39 Victoria, cap. 45, that the sum of £280,150 10s., being the amount of the New Sinking Fund for the year 1875-76, will be issued in the current quarter to the National Debt Commissioners, to be applied to the redemption of debt, as required by the third section of the aforesaid Act.

Treasury Chambers,  
March 21, 1876.

FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE* of MARCH 28,  
1876.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 24th day of  
*March*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day, Sir John Burgess Karslake, Knight, was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

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*Windsor Castle, March 24, 1876.*

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Edmund Hay Currie, Esq., Chairman of the Committee of the London Hospital.

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*Foreign Office, March 20, 1876.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Sir George Francis Bonham, Bart., now a Third Secretary, to be a Second Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

*Foreign Office, March 27, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. R. Eichholtz as Consul of the German Empire for the district of the River Tyne from Newcastle to the mouth, and for the coast from St. Mary's Island to Souter Point, to reside at Newcastle.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Henry Rhodes as Consul at Victoria, British Columbia, for His Majesty the King of Sweden and Norway.

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*Whitehall, March 15, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Edward Penton Thompson, of Fyfield House, in the parish of Fyfield, in the county of Southampton, and of Bolton-street in the parish of St. George, Hanover-square, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire, only surviving son and heir of George Nesbitt Thompson, late of Penton Lodge, in the parish of Penton Mewsey, in the said county of Southampton, Esquire, deceased, by Catherine Maria, his wife, eldest sister of George Powney, of Milding, in the county of Suffolk, Esquire, all deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may henceforth take and use the surname of Powney, in lieu of that of Thompson, and that he and they may bear the arms of Powney; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's said College of Arms.

*Whitehall, March 16, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Sir George Eliott Meyrick Tapps-Gervis, of Bodorgan, in the county of Anglesey, Baronet, eldest and only surviving son and heir of Sir George William Tapps-Gervis, late of Hinton Admiral, in the county of Southampton, Baronet, by Clara, his

wife, eldest daughter of Augustus Eliott Fuller, late of Ashdown House, in the county of Sussex, Esquire, and of Clara, his wife, eldest daughter and co-heir of Owen Putland Meyrick, late of Bodorgan aforesaid, Esquire, all deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a condition contained in the last wills and testaments of his maternal great grandfather, the said Owen Putland Meyrick, and his maternal uncle, Owen John Augustus Fuller Meyrick, Esquire, deceased, henceforth take and use the surname of Meyrick, in addition to and after that of Tapps-Gervis, and that he and they may bear the arms of Meyrick quarterly with those of Tapps and Gervis ; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect :

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's said College of Arms.

*Whitehall, March 18, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Wallace James Arthur Hayhurst, of Ystymeolwyn, in the county of Montgomery, Gentleman, eldest surviving son and heir of Henry Hayhurst Hayhurst (formerly Henry Hayhurst France), late of Ystymeolwyn aforesaid, Esquire, deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a clause contained in the last will and testament of his father, the said Henry Hayhurst Hayhurst, take and henceforth use the surname of France, in lieu and instead of that of Hayhurst, and that he and they may bear and continue to use the arms of France ; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws



of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect :

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's said College of Arms.

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*Admiralty, 24th March, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Assistant-Paymaster Berners H. E. Drayson has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

*Admiralty, 25th March, 1876.*

The Reverend John Harcourt Berry, M.A., has been appointed Chaplain in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of this date.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Naval Instructor Richard Andrews Fowler has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 18th instant.

*Admiralty, 27th March, 1876.*

In consequence of the death of Vice-Admiral the Honourable George Fowler Hastings, C.B., on the 21st instant, the following promotions, dated the 22nd instant, have this day been made :—

Rear-Admiral Arthur Cumming, C.B., to be Vice-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Captain Arthur William Acland Hood, C.B., to be Rear-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Consequent on the foregoing, the undermen-

tioned promotions on the Retired List have also taken place from the same date :—

Rear-Admirals :

Nicholas Lefebvre,  
 Sir William Edmonstone, Bart., C.B.,  
 Right Honourable Lord William Compton,  
 Henry Richard Foote,  
 George Augustus Bedford,  
 William Cheselden Browne,  
 James Newburgh Strange,  
 James Stoddart,  
 James Charles Prevost,  
 James Aylmer Paynter,  
 to be Vice-Admirals on the Retired List.

*Admiralty, 27th March, 1876.*

The following promotion has this day been made :—

Commander Compton Edward Domvile to be  
 Captain in Her Majesty's Fleet.

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*War Office, Pall Mall,*  
*28th March, 1876.*

*20th Regiment of Foot.*

Lieutenant-General Sir Frederick Horn, K.C.B.,  
 from the 45th Foot, to be Colonel, vice General  
 Marcus Beresford, deceased. Dated 17th  
 March, 1876.

*45th Regiment of Foot.*

Lieutenant-General Henry Cooper, from the 79th  
 Foot, to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General  
 Sir Frederick Horn, K.C.B., transferred to the  
 Coloneley of the 20th Foot. Dated 17th March,  
 1876.

*79th Regiment of Foot.*

Lieutenant-General Sir Alfred Hastings Horsford, G.C.B., to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General Henry Cooper, transferred to the Colonelcy of the 45th Foot. Dated 17th March, 1876.

*Chaplains' Department.*

Chaplain of the Second Class the Reverend H. O. Wrench, M.A., retires upon half-pay. Dated 1st April, 1876.

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*War Office, 28th March, 1876.*

**MILITIA.***Bedford.*

Henry Goulburn, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th March, 1876.

*Royal Brecon.*

Captain Harry Rich Farquhar, 24th Foot, to be Adjutant. Dated 14th March, 1876.

Adjutant Harry Rich Farquhar to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 14th March, 1876.

*Huntingdon.*

Lieutenant Alexander David Fraser, from the Royal Aberdeenshire Highlanders Militia, to be Lieutenant. Dated 29th March, 1876.

*East Kent.*

Lieutenant Arthur Robert Dering resigns his Commission. Dated 29th March, 1876.

*West Kent.*

Edmund Wyndham Grevis Bailey, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 17th March, 1876.

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*2nd Royal Lancashire.*

John Michael Sweetman-Powell, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th March, 1876.

*Royal Lancashire Artillery.*

Major Hill Charley Moore is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 29th March, 1876.

Overend George Rose, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th March, 1876.

*Royal Pembroke Artillery.*

Herbert Rhys Lloyd, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

*Shropshire.*

Edward Pemberton Salusbury, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th March, 1876.

*The (King's Own) 2nd Stafford.*

Sub-Lieutenant Algernon Francis Peyton, from the Oxford Militia, to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th March, 1876.

*Royal Sussex.*

Captain and Honorary Major William Bridger resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 29th March, 1876.

*Yorkshire Artillery.*

Lieutenant-Colonel Marmaduke Jerard Grimston is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 29th March, 1876.

*2nd West York.*

Alfred George Goodenough Elton, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 20th March, 1876.

*4th West York.*

John Philip Atchison, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 20th March, 1876.

*5th West York.*

Sub-Lieutenant Joseph Henry Hoole resigns his Commission. Dated 29th March, 1876.

*The Edinburgh or Queen's Regiment of Light Infantry.*

Sub-Lieutenant William James Hope-Johnstone resigns his Commission. Dated 29th March, 1876.

*The Highland Light Infantry.*

Lieutenant Ronald Archibald, Lord Maedonald, resigns his Commission. Dated 29th March, 1876.

William George Stewart Menzies, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

*Antrim.*

Sub-Lieutenant Gerald Carlile Stratford Hancock, from the Galway Militia, to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th March, 1876.

*Armagh.*

Lieutenant John Blakeney De la Poer Beresford resigns his Commission. Dated 29th March, 1876.

*Clare.*

Andrew Staepoole Parkinson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th March, 1876.

John Westropp, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th March, 1876.

*Royal Tyrone Fusiliers.*

Henry Benjamin Johnson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

*Mid-Ulster Artillery.*

Captain Richard Jackson Hezlet, Royal Artillery, to be Adjutant. Dated 14th March, 1876.

Adjutant Richard Jackson Hezlet to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 14th March, 1876.

## YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

*Buckinghamshire.*

Cyril Flower, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th March, 1876.

Alister Macfarquhar James, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th March, 1876.

*Denbighshire.*

James Martin McCalmont, late Captain, 8th Hussars, to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

*Herts.*

Frederick Fish Buckle Palmer, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

*Royal East Kent.*

Lieutenant Francis Reid resigns his Commission. Dated 29th March, 1876.

*2nd West York.*

Thomas Henry Morris, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 31,*  
1876.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 24th day of  
*March*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, in pursuance of the provisions contained in the fourth and eighth sections of the twenty-first and twenty-second Victoria, chapter ninety, to appoint Joseph Lister, Esquire, F.R.S., Regius Professor of Clinical Surgery in the University of Edinburgh, to be, for five years, a Member for Scotland, of the General Council of Medical Education and Registration in the United Kingdom, in the place of Dr. James Warburton Begbie, deceased.

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*Downing Street, March 30, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Richard Cayley, Esq., to be Queen's Advocate for the Island of Ceylon.

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*Clarence House, March 31, 1876.*

The Duchess of Edinburgh has been pleased to appoint Miss Alice Corry to be Lady in Waiting to Her Royal and Imperial Highness.



(H. 2544.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, March 29, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Agent and Consul-General at Alexandria, stating that vessels from the Hedjaz arriving during the pilgrimage season with clean bills of health, and not having taken up any passengers whatever at the Arabian ports of the Red Sea, will be admitted to free pratique on their arrival at Suez; but that vessels not complying with these conditions will be required to return to El Wedj to perform at that place the usual quarantine.

The Consul-General further states that all arrivals from the Persian Gulf, as well as from the southern coast of Arabia, inclusive of Makullah, will be subjected as heretofore to fifteen days' quarantine at El Wedj.

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*Admiralty, 29th March, 1876.*

Lieutenant James Brown has this day been promoted to the rank of Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 23rd March. 1876.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February. 1870--

Navigating Lieutenant Joseph Procter has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 25th instant.

*Admiralty, 30th March, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her

Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Arthur Henry Stone has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank.

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*War Office, Pall Mall,*  
*31st March, 1876.*

*2nd Regiment of Life Guards*, Lieutenant the Honourable William Causfield Gerard retires from the Service, receiving the value of a Cornetcy and Sub-Lieutenancy. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*2nd Dragoon Guards*, Lieutenant Francis Grenville Doyle, to be Captain, vice B. W. Cave-Browne-Cave, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant, Royal Wiltshire Yeomanry Cavalry. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*6th Dragoon Guards*, Lieutenant Thomas Richard Francis Brabazon Hallows, from the 6th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice R. W. Wickham, transferred to the 106th Foot. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Regimental Sergeant-Major Alfred Weston, from the 17th Lancers, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant C. E. Byrom, retired. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*7th Dragoon Guards*, Lieutenant James Francis Jameson retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*1st Dragoons*, Lieutenant Charles Richard Tennant to be Captain, vice H. S. Swiney, retired. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*3rd Hussars*, Lieutenant Robert George Dickson to be Captain, vice W. H. Starkey, retired. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*11th Hussars*, Troop Sergeant-Major Edward Frayling to be Quartermaster, vice R. Teevan, retired on half-pay. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*14th Hussars*, Lieutenant Thomas Horsfall Heaton Garrett to be Captain, vice A. C. Gardner, made Supernumerary on being appointed Adjutant, Derbyshire Yeomanry Cavalry. Dated 24th February, 1876.

*15th Hussars*, Major Charles Currie, from half-pay, late Cape Mounted Riflemen, to be Major, vice D. Maxwell, deceased. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*18th Hussars*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Richard Buckley Prettejohn, C.B., retires upon full-pay. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*Royal Artillery*, The second Christian name of Lieutenant E. A. Lambart is Alan, and not Allan, as notified in the Gazette of 10th March, 1876.

Sergeant Assistant-Instructor of Gunnery Thomas Mills Riehey to be Quartermaster, vice J. Wolfe, deceased. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*Royal Engineers*, Colonel Francis Rawdon Chesney retires upon full-pay. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Major Robert Murdoch Smith, from the Seconded List, to be Major on the Supernumerary List. Dated 27th February, 1876.

The resignation of Captain John Knox Tisdall's Commission, as notified in the Gazette of 20th August, 1875, is cancelled.

Captain John Knox Tisdall retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 27th July, 1875.

*Grenadier Guards*, Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Fludyer retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Sub-Lieutenant Archibald Lennox Milliken Napier, from the 69th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant and Captain D. M. M. Crichton, promoted. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*Coldstream Guards*, Lieutenant and Captain the Honourable Evelyn Edward Thomas Boscawen to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant and Captain the Honourable E. H. T. Digby, who resigns that appointment. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*Brigade Depôts*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel David Anderson retires upon half-pay. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel William Drysdale, C.B., retires upon half-pay. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*4th Foot*, Captain Charles St. Clair Pote, from half-pay, late 75th Foot, to be Captain, vice E. W. Stokes, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant, 1st Royal Lancashire Militia. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*6th Foot*, Sub-Lieutenant Henry Lushington Ramsay to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th February, 1874.

*9th Foot*, Lieutenant Archibald Graham Wavell to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant M. S. J. Sunderland, promoted. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*10th Foot*, Major John Byron to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice J. P. H. Crowe, V.C., retired on full-pay. Dated 8th March, 1876.

Captain and Brevet Major Robert Theodore F. Stammers to be Major, vice J. Byron. Dated 8th March, 1876.

Lieutenant Edmund James Young Armstrong to be Captain, vice Brevet Major R. T. F. Stammers. Dated 8th March, 1876.

Lieutenant George Coope Helme to be Captain, vice H. M. Sproule, retired. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

Lieutenant Archibald Glen to be Captain, vice A. R. Montfort, retired. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*22nd Foot*, Captain Charles D'Obree Bowers, from half-pay, late 6th Foot, to be Captain, vice E. Brutton, whose restoration to full-pay, from half-pay, late 57th Foot, has been cancelled. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*25th Foot*, Captain Henry Augustus Brudenell Bruce, from half-pay, late 9th Foot, to be Captain, vice C. P. Stone, transferred to the 16th Foot. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*32nd Foot*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Thomas Wright Marten, from half-pay, late 7th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel the Honourable B. M. Ward, retired on half-pay. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*33rd Foot*, Captain James Knox, about to be appointed to the Militia, retires upon half-pay. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*36th Foot*, Lieutenant William Hamilton Marriott to be Captain, vice W. Skerrett, retired. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*52nd Foot*, Captain Henry George Fane, Supernumerary List, retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*57th Foot*, Captain William Gillmor, from half-pay, late Royal Canadian Rifle Regiment, to be Captain, vice J. R. K. Tredennick, made

Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant, 5th Middlesex Militia. Dated 1st April, 1876.

69th Foot, Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Duncan Stewart retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 1st April, 1876.

70th Foot, Captain Joseph Arthur Stanford, from half-pay, late 99th Foot, to be Captain, vice A. R. Trimmer, retired on half-pay. Dated 1st April, 1876.

87th Foot, Captain John Ferguson, from half-pay, late 2nd Foot, to be Captain, vice J. T. Tennant, retired on half-pay. Dated 1st April, 1876.

89th Foot, Captain William Sealy retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 1st April, 1876.

90th Foot, Captain William Joseph Banbury retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Lieutenant Alfred Cholmeley Earle Welby to be Captain, vice J. B. Ridout, made Supernumerary whilst specially employed as Captain of Cadets at the Military College, Kingston, Canada. Dated 1st April, 1876.

101st Foot, Captain John Samuel Jeffares, from half-pay, late 57th Foot, to be Captain, vice R. Hamilton, whose restoration to full-pay from half-pay, late 27th Foot, dated 9th February, 1876, has been cancelled, he having died on the 6th February, 1876. Dated 1st April, 1876.

The promotion to the rank of Lieutenant, dated 15th September, 1869, of Ensigns John Douglas Hallett and Thomas George Thomson is cancelled, they having subsequently been trans-



ferred to the Indian Staff Corps as Lieutenants. with anterior dates.

Lieutenant Herbert Scott Gould Miles to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant A. C. Maurice, promoted. Dated 1st December, 1875.

*103rd Foot*, The correct date of the Commission as Ensign, in the 108th Foot, of Captain Frederick William Graham, is 29th December, 1859, and not 29th December, 1858, as stated in the Gazette of the 30th September, 1862.

*106th Foot*, Lieutenant Richard William Wickham, from the 6th Dragoon Guards, to be Lieutenant, in succession to Sub-Lieutenant A. L. M. Napier, transferred to the 69th Foot. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Sub - Lieutenant Philip Beaumont Gruneisen Coulton, from the 8th Hussars, to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice the Honourable R. T. Lawley, transferred to the 7th Hussars. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*108th Foot*, Lieutenant Frederiek East Apthorp to be Captain, vice William Fraser Worster, deceased. Dated 14th January, 1876.

*Rifle Brigade*, Captain Charles Wheler Hume, from half-pay, late Rifle Brigade, to be Captain, vice L. Pereival, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant, the Queen's Own Royal Tower Hamlets Militia. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*Unattached*, Richard Doyne MacDonnell, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Frank Whittuck, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1876.

George Joeelyn Shaw, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1876.



*Medical Department*, The promotion of Surgeon-Major Robert De Burgh Riordan, which appeared in the Gazette of the 30th November, 1875, dated 25th October, 1875, is antedated to 30th September, 1875.

Surgeon John Waring Belcher, M.D., to be Surgeon-Major, vice James Carroll, M.D., retired on half-pay. Dated 27th January, 1876.

Surgeon James Doran, M.D., to be Surgeon-Major, vice Charles Christopher Piper, retired upon temporary half-pay. Dated 9th February, 1876.

*Half-Pay*, Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick Nassau Dore, from half-pay 97th Foot, Staff Officer of Pensioners, to be Major. Dated 1st April, 1876.

### BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel David Anderson, half-pay, late Brigade Dépôt, to have the temporary rank of Brigadier-General while in the command of a Brigade. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Colonel Francis Rawdon Chesney, Royal Engineers, who retires upon full-pay, to have the honorary rank of Major-General. Dated 1st April, 1876.

The undermentioned Officers, having completed the qualifying service, to be Colonels :—

Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Henry Clive, Grenadier Guards. Dated 4th March, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel David Thomson, Royal (late Bombay) Engineers. Dated 15th March, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Thomas St. Lawrence McGwire, 1st Foot. Dated 25th March, 1876.

The following promotions to take place consequent on the death, on 16th March, 1876, of General Marcus Beresford, Colonel of the 20th Foot:—

Lieutenant-General William Anson McCleverty, Colonel of the 48th Foot, to be General. Dated 17th March, 1876.

Major-General Clement Alexander Edwards, C.B., to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 17th March, 1876.

Brevet-Colonel William Hope, C.B., from Lieutenant-Colonel, Brigade Dépôt, to be Major-General. Dated 28th June, 1868, such ante-date not to carry back pay prior to the 17th March, 1876.

Major Granville William Puget, 34th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 17th March, 1876.

Captain Edward Francis Browne, 35th Foot, to be Major. Dated 17th March, 1876.

*War Office, 31st March, 1876.*

#### MILITIA.

##### *Royal Bucks.*

Captain Frederic Lewis David, Honorary Major, late Royal Marines, resigns his Commission. Dated 1st April, 1876.

##### *Durham Artillery.*

The appointment of William Cholmondeley Morris, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, notified in the Gazette of the 14th March, 1876, is cancelled.

##### *Hampshire Artillery.*

Captain Newson Dunnell Garrett, half-pay, Royal (late Bengal) Artillery, to be Captain. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Lieutenant Martin Henry Drayson Lister, from the 1st Warwick Militia, to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*5th Royal Lancashire.*

John Francis Burn-Murdoch, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 27th March, 1876.

*Royal Lancashire Artillery.*

Francis Cunninghame Batson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st April, 1876.

*Royal East Middlesex.*

Captain John Trenchard Tennant, half-pay, late 87th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*4th or Royal South Middlesex.*

Louis Wilkin Ambrose Kearney Freeman, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st April, 1876.

*Royal Elthorne, or 5th Middlesex.*

George Alexander Duff, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st April, 1876.

*Northumberland.*

Calverly Bewicke, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st April, 1876.

Martin Crawshay, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st April, 1876.

*1st Somerset.*

Major Henry Cornish Henley is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*3rd (King's Own) Stafford.*

Lieutenant Richard Mirehouse to be Captain.  
Dated 1st April, 1876.

*The King's Own Royal Tower Hamlets.*

The Honourable Kenelm Digby St. Lawrence to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1876.  
Frederick Ronald Borrow, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st April, 1876.

*The Queen's Own Royal Tower Hamlets.*

Charles Tulin Hennah, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st April, 1876.

*1st West York.*

Sub-Lieutenant John Hemsley Hunt to be Lieutenant. Dated 31st December, 1873.

*5th West York.*

Charles Edward Clowes, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st April, 1876.

*The Duke of Edinburgh's Own Edinburgh Artillery.*

Charles Hay Cox, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*The Highland Light Infantry.*

George Trevor Basil Mostyn, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*Cavan.*

Robert Stratford Tuite, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st April, 1876.

*Kerry.*

Captain Thomas Spring resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*North Tipperary.*

Captain John Knox Rutledge, half-pay, late 37th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 22nd March, 1876.

*Westmeath.*

Sub-Lieutenant the Honourable Patrick Emilius John Greville-Nugent resigns his Commission. Dated 1st April, 1876.

**YEOMANRY CAVALRY.***Royal North Devon.*

Captain the Honourable Mark George Kerr Rolle resigns his Commission. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*Hampshire.*

Lieutenant Charles Alfred William Rycroft resigns his Commission. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*Leicestershire.*

Captain Thomas C. D. Whitmore resigns his Commission. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*Northumberland.*

Captain Norman Charles Cookson resigns his Commission. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*Royal Wiltshire.*

Colonel and Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant George William Frederick. Marquis of Ailesbury, K.G., A.D.C., resigns his Commission. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Colonel George William Frederick, Marquis of Ailesbury, K.G., A.D.C., late Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant, to be Honorary Colonel of the Regiment. Dated 1st April, 1876.

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*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Pembroke.*

Martine Owen Mowbray Lloyd, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 25th March, 1876.  
Major Augustus James William Northey to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 25th March, 1876.

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FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 4,*  
1876.

*Downing Street, March 31, 1876.*

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Commander Sir John Hawley Glover, R.N., G.C.M.G., to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Island of Newfoundland and its Dependencies.

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(S. & C. 713.)

*Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall,*  
*April 3, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a despatch from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Lisbon, reporting that on and after the 15th instant, certain documents specified in the following translation of Articles X and XI of the Treaty of July 11, 1866, between France and

Portugal, in proof of origin, &c., must be exhibited at the Portuguese Custom Houses, in order to effect the clearance of merchandize from Great Britain, to which the Tariff (B) under the said Treaty of July 11, 1866, is applicable:—

(Translation.)

ART. X. To prove that the goods are of national manufacture or origin, the importer shall produce to the Customs of the other country either an official declaration made before a magistrate at the place of departure, or a certificate from the Chief of the Customs at the office of exportation, or a certificate from the Consul or Consular Agents of the country, into which the goods are to be imported, residing at the places of exportation or at the ports of embarkation.

ART. XI. The *ad valorem* duties stipulated for in the present Treaty shall be calculated on the value at the place of origin or manufacture of the article imported, plus the expenses of transport, insurance, and commission necessary for the importation into the other country as far as the place of introduction, and also the export duties, if any.

The importer shall, in addition to the certificate of origin, append to the written declaration showing the value of the goods imported, an invoice from the manufacturer or seller giving the real price.

This invoice shall be visé by a Consul or Consular Agent of the power into whose territory the importation is to be effected.

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*Admiralty, 1st April, 1876.*

Staff Commander James Kiddle has this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Captain in Her Majesty's Fleet.



*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the  
County of Sussex.*

The Right Honourable Henry, Lord Leconfield,  
to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 14th February,  
1876.

Henry Robert Brand, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.  
Dated 24th March, 1876.

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FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 7,*  
1876.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,*  
*April 6, 1876.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness The Duke of Edinburgh will, by command of The Queen, hold a Levée at St. James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Friday, the 28th instant, at two o'clock.

It is The Queen's pleasure that Presentations to His Royal Highness at the Levée shall be considered as equivalent to Presentations to Her Majesty.

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(S. & C. 730.)

*Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall,*  
*April 6, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Decree of the French Government, dated the 27th ultimo, permitting the temporary admission into France, free of duty, of palm oil for conversion into articles destined for exportation.

(S. &amp; C. 758.)

*Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall,  
April 6, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs copies of two Notes from the Italian Chargé d'Affaires at this Court, relative to a Congress on silkworm culture at Milan, together with Programmes issued by the Organizing Committee of the Congress. The opening of the Congress is fixed for the 11th September next, and all communications should be addressed "Au Comité d'Organisation du V<sup>me</sup>. Congrès Bacologique, Musée Civique, Milan."

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*Admiralty, 6th April, 1876.*

Lieutenant John William Brackenbury has been promoted to the rank of Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 18th March, 1876, in the haul-down promotion of Admiral George G. Wellesley, C.B., late Commander-in-Chief of Her Majesty's Ships and Vessels on the North American and West Indian Station. Fleet Surgeon Charles McShane has been promoted to the rank of Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 5th March, 1876.

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*War Office, Pall Mall,  
7th April, 1876.*

### COMMISSARIAT AND TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

The undermentioned Sub-Assistant-Commissaries to be Assistant-Commissaries :—

Joseph Whitley. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Geoffrey Stanley. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Edward Willis Duncan Ward. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Robert Brophy M'Comb. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Herbert Joseph Cousins. Dated 1st April, 1876.

William Henry Winspear. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Ernest Tilson Shaen Carter. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Lewis Anstruther Hope. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Edwin Samuel M'Murray. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Arthur Ashley. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*African Branch*, Assistant-Commissary Robert Poole Gabbett, on probation, to be Assistant-Commissary. Dated 3rd September, 1873.

## ORDNANCE STORE DEPARTMENT.

The undermentioned Sub - Assistant - Commissaries to be Assistant-Commissaries, viz. :—

John Steevens. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Charles Purchas. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Ernest Charles Wainwright. Dated 1st April, 1876.

George Robert Atkinson. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Charles Heinekin Ozanne. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Charles John Dromgoole. Dated 1st April, 1876.

## CHAPLAINS' DEPARTMENT.

Chaplain of the Third Class the Reverend J. A. Welsh Collins, B.A., to be Chaplain of the Second Class. Dated 16th March, 1876.

Chaplain of the Third Class the Reverend James Daly to be Chaplain of the Second Class. Dated 28th March, 1876.

Chaplain of the Second Class the Reverend James Daly retires upon half-pay, he having attained the prescribed age. Dated 1st April, 1876.

FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 11,*  
 1876.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, April 11, 1876.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be open to the public on Monday and Tuesday, the 17th and 18th instant.

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*St. James's Palace, April 1, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased, on the nomination of the Earl of Shrewsbury and Talbot, to appoint Captain Reynold Alleyne Clement, late 68th Regiment, one of Her Majesty's Honourable Corps of Gentlemen-at-Arms, vice Lieutenant-Colonel Gustavus Hume, promoted.

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*Admiralty, 7th April, 1876.*

The announcement contained in the London Gazette of the 18th February last, of the retirement of Lieutenant Edward Phillips Statham, is to be considered as cancelled.

*Admiralty, 8th April, 1876.*

Captain John Eglinton Montgomerie, C.B., has been appointed a Naval Aide-de-Camp to Her Majesty, vice Hood, promoted to Flag Rank. Dated 23rd March, 1876.

*Admiralty, 10th April, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her

Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Chief Engineer Charles Alfred Bydder has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

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*War Office, Pall Mall,*  
11th April, 1876.

*Brigade Dépôt*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel George John Peacocke, from half-pay. late 16th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 12th April, 1876.

*Staff*, Major-General Daniel Lysons, C.B., to be Quartermaster-General at Head Quarters, in succession to Lieutenant-General Sir Charles Henry Ellice, K.C.B., whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 1st April, 1876.

### BREVET.

Captain William Whitla, 10th Foot, and Captain George Nicholas Channer, Bengal Staff Corps, to be Majors, in recognition of their services during the recent operations against the Malays in Perak. Dated 12th April, 1876.

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FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 14,*  
1876.

*Master of the Horse's Office,*  
*Royal Mews, Pimlico, April 13, 1876.*

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint George Godfrey Macdonald, Esq., to be Page of Honour

to Her Majesty, vice Arthur Henry Hardinge, Esq., resigned.

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*War Office, April 12, 1876.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to signify Her intention to confer the decoration of the Victoria Cross on the undermentioned Officer, whose claim to the same has been submitted for Her Majesty's approval, for his gallant conduct during the recent operations against the Malays in Perak, as recorded against his name, viz. :—

Bengal Staff Corps.—Captain (now Brevet-Major)  
George Nicholas Channer,

For having, with the greatest gallantry, been the first to jump into the Enemy's Stockade, to which he had been dispatched with a small party of the 1st Ghoorkha Light Infantry, on the afternoon of the 20th December, 1875, by the Officer commanding the Malacca Column, to procure intelligence as to its strength, position, &c.

Major Channer got completely in rear of the Enemy's position, and finding himself so close that he could hear the voices of the men inside, who were cooking at the time, and keeping no look out, he beckoned to his men, and the whole party stole quietly forward to within a few paces of the Stockade. On jumping in, he shot the first man dead with his revolver, and his party then came up, and entered the Stockade, which was of a most formidable nature, surrounded by a bamboo palisade; about seven yards within was a log-house, loop-holed, with two narrow entrances, and trees laid latitudinally, to the thickness of two feet.

The Officer commanding reports that if Major Channer, by his foresight, coolness, and intre-

pidity, had not taken this Stockade, a great loss of life must have occurred, as from the fact of his being unable to bring guns to bear on it, from the steepness of the hill, and the density of the jungle, it must have been taken at the point of the bayonet.

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*Admiralty, 11th April, 1876.*

*Royal Naval Artillery Volunteers.  
London Corps.*

Lord Francis Conyngham to be Honorary Lieutenant. Dated 11th April, 1876.

*Admiralty, 12th April, 1876.*

Navigating Lieutenant Alfred Frederick Gibbons has been promoted to the rank of Staff Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of the 2nd instant.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Navigating Lieutenant John Skinner Snell has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 5th instant.

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*War Office, 14th April, 1876.*

MILITIA.

*Bedford.*

Samuel Nicholson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 15th April, 1876.

*1st Devon.*

Major Halifax Wyatt resigns his Commission, also is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, and is permitted to continue



to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 15th April, 1876.

Captain and Honorary Major John Tanner Davy to be Major. Dated 15th April, 1876.

John Walter Savile, Esq., late Captain and Adjutant, to be Major (Supernumerary). Dated 15th April, 1876.

Lieutenant Francis James Coleridge Boles to be Captain. Dated 15th April, 1876.

*1st Durham.*

Lieutenant Ernest John Winslow Maitland resigns his Commission. Dated 15th April, 1876.

Surgeon John Potts resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 15th April, 1876.

*West Essex.*

Sub-Lieutenant Hugh Gurney Barclay resigns his Commission. Dated 15th April, 1876.

*Royal South Gloucester.*

Lieutenant William Henry Richards resigns his Commission. Dated 15th April, 1876.

*Hereford.*

Captain Thomas Millard Bennett is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 15th April, 1876.

*3rd Royal Lancashire.*

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Richard Crosse is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 15th April, 1876.

*5th Royal Lancashire.*

William Charles Golding, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 15th April, 1876.

*7th Royal Lancashire.*

Herbert Turner, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant.  
Dated 15th April, 1876.

*Leicester.*

Aldred Frederick George Beresford, Viscount  
Lumley, to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary).  
Dated 15th April, 1876.

Walter Orlando Corbet, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 15th April, 1876.

*Royal North Lincoln.*

Captain Robert Swan resigns his Commission.  
Dated 15th April, 1876.

*Royal London.*

Edward Sealy Vidal, Esq., late Lieutenant 57th  
Foot, to be Captain. Dated 15th April, 1876.

*Royal Merioneth.*

Sub-Lieutenant Maurice Spring Rice Bayly, resigns his Commission. Dated 15th April, 1876.

*2nd Middlesex or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment.*

Frederick James Sedgwick, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 3rd April, 1876.

*3rd Middlesex or Royal Westminster.*

Major Samuel John Unwin resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 15th April, 1876.

*4th or Royal South Middlesex.*

Sub-Lieutenant John Francis Green to be Lieutenant. Dated 14th January, 1874.

*Royal Elthorne or 5th Middlesex.*

Adolphus Graham Pirie, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 15th April, 1876.

*The (King's Own) 1st Stafford.*

Sub-Lieutenant Francis Frederick Eld resigns his Commission. Dated 15th April, 1876.

*The (King's Own) 2nd Stafford.*

Captain and Adjutant Henry Steuart Tompson, from the 2nd or North Durham Militia, to be Adjutant. Dated 27th March, 1876.

Adjutant Henry Steuart Tompson to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 27th March, 1876.

*3rd (King's Own) Stafford.*

Captain Francis Walter Cary, 15th Foot, to be Adjutant. Dated 25th March, 1876.

Adjutant Francis Walter Cary to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 25th March, 1876.

*1st Royal Surrey.*

John Charles Evelyn Hope Brooke, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 15th April, 1876.

*The Queen's Own Royal Tower Hamlets.*

Captain George William Douglas Kempson resigns his Commission. Dated 15th April, 1876.

*North York.*

Major Charles Sydney Bradley is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 15th April, 1876.

*Yorkshire Artillery.*

Captain Robert Christopher Wintour to be Major, vice M. J. Grimston, promoted. Dated 15th April, 1876.

*The Royal Aberdeenshire Highlanders.*

Major Robert Macfarlane resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 15th April, 1876.

Captain Edward Alexander James Duff resigns his Commission. Dated 15th April, 1876.

*The Edinburgh, or Queen's Regiment of Light Infantry.*

Captain James Craig resigns his Commission. Dated 15th April, 1876.

*The Highland Rifle.*

The promotion of Lieutenant Sinclair Mellor Searight Macleay to be Captain, notified in the Gazette of the 10th December, 1875, to bear date 10th December, 1875, instead of the 11th December, 1875.

John Colin Wardlaw, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 15th April, 1876.

*2nd Royal Lanark.*

Harry Ritchie Alston, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 15th April, 1876.

*Armagh.*

Thomas Richard Lytton Wilson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 30th March, 1876.

John Alexander Redman Broadwood, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 30th March, 1876.

Frederick Charles Alfred Inderwick, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 15th April, 1876.

*Clare.*

Charles Steward Molony, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 15th April, 1876.

*West Cork Artillery.*

Charles Challeeombe Newland, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 15th April, 1876.

*Dublin County.*

Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel William Montgomerie Stuart Caulfeild resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 15th April, 1876.

*Kildare.*

Robert Fleetwood Rynd, Esq., late Captain 22nd Foot, to be Captain. Dated 15th April, 1876.

*Kilkenny.*

Lieutenant William Henry Davoren to be Captain. Dated 15th April, 1876.

*Leitrim.*

James Quin-Harkin, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 15th April, 1876.

*Londonderry.*

John Lawrence, Esq., late Captain 90th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 15th April, 1876.

*Royal Tyrone Fusiliers.*

Sub-Lieutenant William Francis Haliday resigns his Commission. Dated 15th April, 1876.

*Mid-Ulster Artillery.*

Sub-Lieutenant Claude George, Lord Glamis, from the Forfar and Kincardine Artillery Militia, to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 15th April, 1876.

## YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

*Buckinghamshire.*

Henry Gurney Lepper, Gent., to be Veterinary Surgeon. Dated 15th April, 1876.

*Leicestershire.*

John Henry, Lord Kesteven to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 15th April, 1876.

*Middlesex.*

William Horatio Harfield, Esq., to be Captain. Dated 15th April, 1876.

*North Somerset.*

William Wildman Kettlewell, late Lieutenant, 27th Foot, to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 15th April, 1876.

*Staffordshire.*

Edmund Henry Davenport, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 15th April, 1876.



FROM THE

*LONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 18,*  
1876.

*Foreign Office, April 11, 1876.*

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of—  
Baron Alfred de Rothschild as Consul-General  
in London for His Majesty the Emperor of  
Austria ;

Cavaliere Luigi Marinucci as Consul-General  
in Melbourne, with jurisdiction in the English

possessions of Australia, New Zealand, Van Diemen's Island, the Islands in Bass' Straits, and the Fiji Islands, for His Majesty the King of Italy;

Mr. Antonio Feliciano Marques Pereira as Consul-General for Singapore, Malacca, and its dependencies, for His Majesty the King of Portugal and the Algarves ;

Don Eduardo Enrique Bath as Consul at Swansea for the Republic of Chile ; and of

Don Juan Maria Bessone as Vice-Consul at Bristol for the Republic of Peru.

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(H. 3077.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, April 13, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs information to the effect that in consequence of the pilgrimage being at an end, the quarantine in Egyptian ports on arrivals from the Hedjaz has been removed.

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*War Office, Pall Mall,  
18th April, 1876.*

*6th Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Veterinary-Surgeon of the First Class, Richard Poyser, from the Royal Artillery, to be Veterinary-Surgeon, vice J. A. Rostron, transferred to the 5th Laneers. Dated 19th April, 1876.*

*5th Lancers, Veterinary-Surgeon John Ashworth Rostron, from the 6th Dragoon Guards, to be Veterinary-Surgeon, vice W. B. Edmonds, deceased. Dated 19th April, 1876.*

*10th Hussars, Lieutenant the Honourable Charles Compton William Cavendish to be Adjutant, 1876.*



vice Lieutenant R. F. P. Startin, deceased.  
Dated 13th February, 1876.

*Grenadier Guards*, Lieutenant and Captain Henry Wellesley to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Charles Fludyer, retired. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Lieutenant and Captain the Honourable Cornwallis Fleeming retires from the service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 19th April, 1876.

*Scots Fusilier Guards*, Surgeon-Major Frederick Robinson, M.D., Battalion-Surgeon, to be Surgeon-Major, vice J. A. Bostock, C.B., retired on half-pay. Dated 26th February, 1876.

Surgeon-Major John William Trotter, from the Coldstream Guards, to be Battalion-Surgeon, vice F. Robinson, M.D. Dated 26th February, 1876.

Surgeon-Major George Perry to be Surgeon-Major. Dated 26th February, 1876.

*14th Foot*, Captain John Donaldson Bradley retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 19th April, 1876.

*17th Foot*, Lieutenant Archibald Adair Bruce resigns his Commission. Dated 19th April, 1876.

*21st Foot*, Captain James Bower Jackson retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 19th April, 1876.

*19th Foot*, Major Edward Whyte, from half-pay, late Royal Canadian Rifle Regiment, to be Major, vice E. St. John Griffiths, retired on half-pay. Dated 19th April, 1876.

*26th Foot*, Captain William Henry Salwey retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 19th April, 1876.

- 33rd Foot*, Captain Charles Henry Jackson, from half-pay, late 86th Foot, to be Captain, vice J. Knox, retired upon half-pay. Dated 19th April, 1876.
- 37th Foot*, Captain Cortlandt G. Maegregor, from half-pay, late 35th Foot, to be Captain, vice J. K. Rutledge, retired on half-pay. Dated 19th April, 1876.
- 43rd Foot*, Lieutenant Joseph Granville Stuart Goff retires from the Service, receiving the value of an Ensigney. Dated 19th April, 1876.
- 52nd Foot*, Lieutenant Richard Maximilian Pulteney to be Captain, and to be Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant of the Oxford Militia. Dated 19th April, 1876.
- 65th Foot*, Captain Charles Grosvenor Byam Martin retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 19th April, 1876.
- 69th Foot*, Lieutenant Edward Peregrine Townley to be Captain, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel D. Stewart, retired. Dated 1st April, 1876.
- 72nd Foot*, Lieutenant Thomas Stanhope Gildea to be Captain, vice J. F. Hilton, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant of the 1st Administrative Battalion Elginshire Rifle Volunteers. Dated 7th March, 1876.
- 73rd Foot*, Captain Arthur Hume, from half-pay, late 79th Foot, to be Captain, vice James B. Doneaster, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant of the 2nd Royal Lanark Militia. Dated 19th April, 1876.
- 89th Foot*, Lieutenant Henry Caddell to be Captain, vice W. Sealy, retired. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*90th Foot*, Lieutenant Frederick Roseingrave Harvey to be Captain, vice W. J. Banbury, retired. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*95th Foot*, Captain Robert Lefroy retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 19th April, 1876.

*101st Foot*, Captain Thomas Angelo Irwin, from half-pay, late 1st Foot, to be Captain, vice G. H. Holley, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant of the North Cork Militia. Dated 19th April, 1876.

*108th Foot*, Lieutenant Arthur Wapshare has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 2nd February, 1876.

*109th Foot*, Sub - Lieutenant Edward Spence Hastings, from the 107th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant A. C. Hilliard, transferred to the 68th Foot. Dated 19th April, 1876.

*Unattached*, Charles Frederick Stevens, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 19th April, 1876.

Edward Cooke Cox, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 19th April, 1876.

Henry King, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 19th April, 1876.

William Whateley, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 19th April, 1876.

Ponsonby Glenn Huggins, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 19th April, 1876.

Allan Moss, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 19th April, 1876.

*Medical Department*, Surgeon George Perry, from the Scots Fusilier Guards, to be Surgeon-Major. Dated 26th February, 1876.

Surgeon Francis Henry Welch, to be Surgeon-Major, vice Gavin Ainslie Turnbull, deceased.  
Dated 19th March, 1876.

The appointment of Hans Beresford Fleming, Gent., as Surgeon, which appeared in the Gazette of 7th March, 1876, dated 30th September, 1875, is cancelled.

### BREVET.

The undermentioned Officers having completed the qualifying service, to be Colonels :—

Lieutenant-Colonel William Rice, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 26th August, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Charles Evezard, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 26th August, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Chase Parr, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 1st September, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Havard Price, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 1st September, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel John James Hume, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 4th September, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Herbert Murray Aynsley, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 13th September, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Joseph O'Bryen, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 22nd November, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Elderton, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 27th January, 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander Young Shortt, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 1st February, 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Philip Brudenell Sherard, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 3rd February, 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Alexander Taylor, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 3rd February, 1875.

The following further promotions to take place consequent on the death, on 26th February, 1876, of General H. Servanté, Colonel-Commandant, Royal Engineers :—

Major Richard Doyle Barrett, 19th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 27th February, 1876.

Captain Joseph George Shanks, Royal Marines, to be Major. Dated 27th February, 1876.

The following further promotions to take place consequent on the death, on 19th March, 1876, of General W. Scott, Colonel-Commandant Royal (late Bombay) Engineers :—

Major Oswald Barton Feilden, 78th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 20th March, 1876.

Captain Arthur Charles Joshua McMeekan, Royal Marines, to be Major. Dated 17th March, 1876.

The Commission as Major of Captain E. F. Browne, 35th Foot, to be postdated to 20th March, 1876.

#### MEMORANDA.

The legal representatives of the late Captain and Brevet Major George Wedderburne, half-pay, late 7th Foot, Staff Officer of Pensioners, to be permitted to receive the value of that Officer's Commission, he having, for six weeks, survived his application to retire from the Service.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon Joseph Francis Blake, M.D., half-pay, has been permitted to commute his retired allowance. Dated 13th March, 1876.

The undermentioned Officers retire from the Service, receiving the value of their Commissions :—

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel George

Waller Meehan, half-pay, late Staff Officer of Pensioners. Dated 18th March, 1876.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel John Augustus Todd, half-pay, late 14th Hussars. Dated 18th March, 1876.

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*War Office, 18th April, 1876.*

### MILITIA.

#### *Royal Carmarthen Artillery.*

George Goring John Sutton Jones, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 19th April, 1876.

#### *2nd Royal Cheshire.*

Captain James Knox, half-pay, late 33rd Foot, to be Captain. Dated 1st April, 1876.

#### *Durham Artillery.*

Thomas Forsyth-Forest, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 19th April, 1876.

#### *Hampshire.*

Francis Charles Baring, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 19th April, 1876.

#### *Oxford.*

Captain and Adjutant Henry George Fane resigns his Commission. Dated 1st April, 1876.

#### *2nd Royal Surrey.*

Charles Burnett Lightfoot, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 19th April, 1876.

#### *1st Warwick.*

Sub-Lieutenant Charles Lane Morris resigns his Commission. Dated 19th April, 1876.

*Carlou.*

Lieutenant Philip Henry Bagenal resigns his Commission. Dated 19th April, 1876.

*North Cork.*

George St. John Colthurst, late Lieutenant 43rd Foot, to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st April, 1876.

*Donegal.*

Thomas Adams Porter, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 10th April, 1876.

*Limerick City Artillery.*

Waller Massy O'Grady, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 19th April, 1876.

*Sligo.*

Sub - Lieutenant Maurice Charles MacCarthy O'Leary resigns his Commission. Dated 19th April, 1876.

## YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

*Royal 1st Devon.*

John Francis Daniel, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 19th April, 1876.

*Lanarkshire.*

Surgeon Robert Logan resigns his Commission. Dated 19th April, 1876.

*Leicestershire.*

Lieutenant Francis Sutton resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 19th April, 1876.

*Yorkshire Hussars.*

Assistant-Surgeon Isaac Mennell Williams resigns his Commission. Dated 19th April, 1876.



FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE* of APRIL 21,  
1876.

*Foreign Office, February 11, 1876.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint George Thorne Ricketts, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul at Manila, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Tiflis.

*Foreign Office, March 24, 1876.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Sir Augustus Berkeley Paget, K.C.B., now Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the King of Italy, to be Her Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the King of Italy.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Edward Baldwin Malet, Esq., C.B., now Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Rome, to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Embassy at Rome.

*Foreign Office, March 27, 1876.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Arthur Nicolson, Esq., now a Third Secretary, to be a Second Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

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*Whitehall, April 17, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to constitute and appoint the Right Honourable Alan Plantaganet, Earl of Galloway, to be Her Majesty's High Commissioner to the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland.

*Whitehall, April 17, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Sir Montague Edward Smith, Knt., a Member of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council; the Right Honourable Sir John Burgess Karslake, Knt.; Sir Thomas Dickson Archibald, Knt., one of the Judges of the Common Pleas Division of the High Court of Justice; William Overend, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Counsel; and John Lloyd Wharton, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, to be Her Majesty's Commissioners to enquire into the privileges and Revenues of certain Municipal Corporations.

*Whitehall, April 18, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to grant the Deanery of the Cathedral Church of Ripon unto the Reverend William Robert Fremantle, M.A., vacant by the resignation of the Very Reverend Sydney Turner.

*Whitehall, April 21, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to issue a new Commission appointing the Right Honourable John James Robert Manners (commonly called Lord John James Robert Manners); the Right Honourable William Reginald, Earl of Devon; Sir Charles Lawrence Young, Bart.; Sir Henry Thurstan Holland, Bart., C.M.G.; Sir John Rose, Bart., K.C.M.G.; Sir Henry Drummond Wolff, K.C.M.G.; Sir Louis Mallet, Knt., C.M.G.; Sir Julius Benedict, Knt.; Farrer Herschell, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Counsel; Edward Jenkins, Esq.; James Fitzjames Stephen, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Counsel; William Smith, Esq., Doctor of Civil Law; James Anthony Froude, Esq.; Anthony Trollope, Esq.,

and Frederick Richard Daldy, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Commissioners to make inquiry with regard to the Laws and Regulations relating to Home, Colonial, and International Copyright.

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(H. 3174.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, April 20, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs copies of Notices issued by the Portuguese Authorities declaring the port of Pará free from yellow fever since the 9th January last, and the ports of the Regency of Tripoli free from cholera morbus since the 16th February last.

(S. & C. 860.)

*Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall,  
April 20, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Decree of the French Government, dated the 4th instant, announcing that a Universal Exhibition of Agricultural and Industrial Products, to which all nations are to be admitted, will be opened at Paris on the 1st May, 1878, and closed on the 31st October following.

(S. & C. 872.)

*Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall,  
April 20, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have been informed by the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs that a telegram has been received from Her Majesty's Consul at Canton reporting that the port of Kiungchow, in the Island of Hainan, was opened to foreign trade on the 1st instant.

*Admiralty, 18th April, 1876.*

The undermentioned Officers have been promoted to the rank of Fleet Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet, with the seniority stated against their names, viz. :—

John T. Gabriel, Esq., from the 9th April, 1876.  
Constantine Keenan, Esq., from the 11th April, 1876.

*Admiralty, 19th April, 1876.*

Navigating Lieutenant George James Tomlin has been promoted to the rank of Staff Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of the 8th instant.

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*India Office, 21st April, 1876.*

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the Transfer to the Half-Pay List of the undermentioned Officers :—

Captain Robert James McGhee, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 4th November, 1875.

Captain John Macnair, Bengal Staff Corps.  
Dated 12th April, 1876.

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*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Hereford.*

Frederick Clark, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.  
Dated 19th April, 1876.

FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE* of APRIL 25,  
 1876.

*Foreign Office, April 3, 1876.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Henry Augustus Cowper, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul at Buenos Ayres, to be Her Majesty's Consul-General in the Island of Cuba.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint William Gifford Palgrave, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul in the Islands of St. Thomas and Sainte Croix, to be Her Majesty's Consul in the Philippine Islands, to reside at Manila.

*Crown Office, April 24, 1876.*

MEMBER returned to serve in the present  
 PARLIAMENT.

*North Norfolk.*

James Duff, Esq., of Westwick House, in the county of Norfolk, Lieutenant-Colonel in the Rifle Volunteers, in the place of the Honourable Frederick Walpole, deceased.

*Whitehall, April 24, 1876.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased, under Her Sign Manuals, dated respectively 26th February, 1876, and 15th April, 1876, to grant to George William Bateson, of Heslington Hall, in the East Riding of the county of York, Esq., and Mary Elizabeth, his wife, Her Royal licence and authority that they and their issue may take and

use the surname of de Yarburgh, in addition to and after that of Bateson :

And to command that Her said Royal licences be duly recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise to be void and of none effect.

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(M. 5946.)

*Marine Department, Board of Trade,  
Whitehall Gardens, April 24, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received from Her Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs the annexed copy of a Proclamation by the President of Liberia, respecting the importation and sale of arms and munitions of war in the county of Maryland :—

By the President of the Republic of Liberia.

### PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS in consequence of the hostile attitude assumed by certain tribes within and under the jurisdiction of this Republic, against the Government of Liberia, the legislature did, at its late session, authorise the President, by proclamation or otherwise, to interdict certain trading points along the coast; and whereas it is not the policy of the Government to unnecessarily restrain the privileges of its citizens.

Now, therefore, I, James Spriggs Payne, President of the Republic of Liberia, do hereby proclaim and make known to all whom it may concern, that on and after the 21st day of February, A.D. 1876, no person shall be allowed to prosecute any trade of any kind whatsoever, at any town or place within the county of Maryland, except the port of Harper, until this interdict shall be revoked.

And I do further proclaim and make known, that on and after the said 21st day of February A.D. 1876, that, as provided for in an Act passed, at the late session of the legislature, and approved February 2nd, 1876, forbidding the importation and sale of fire-arms and munitions of warfare into the county of Maryland, "it shall be unlawful for any foreigner, residing in the Republic, any captain, supercargo of any vessel or steamer, or any citizen to import into the county of Maryland (commencing from the coast including Grand Cessters on the north-west of Maryland county, extending to the south-east boundary of the Republic's territory), any gunpowder, guns, and munitions of war of whatever description, unless for government, until after the cessation of the war in Maryland with the Grebo confederated tribes," under pain of the penalties set forth in said Act.

And I do also proclaim and make known, that on and after the said 21st day of February, A.D. 1876, the proclamation issued on the 22nd day of November, A.D. 1875, forbidding the sale and furnishing of fire-arms and ammunition to the aboriginal native or natives within the boundaries of this Republic, is revoked and shall be of no effect except in those parts herein interdicted and proscribed, that is to say "commencing from the coast including Grand Cessters on the north-west of Maryland County extending to the south-east boundary of the Republic's territory," and the citizens or foreigners shall be privileged to deal in said prohibited articles in other parts as before the issuing of the aforesaid proclamation.

And this present interdict and prohibition shall continue in full force until due notice shall have been given to the contrary by the proclamation of the President.



And I do hereby require all Officers, Civil or Military, within this Republic to take special care in seeing the terms of this interdict fully carried out, and all citizens and residents in this Republic, and persons in charge of any vessel coming to our ports, to control and govern themselves accordingly.



In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the Seal of the Republic of Liberia to be affixed this tenth day of February, A.D. 1876, and of the Republic the twenty-ninth.

(Signed) JAMES S. PAYNE.

By the President,  
(Signed) J. E. MOORE,  
Secretary of State.

*Admiralty, 21st April, 1876.*

Engineer John Rice has this day been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

*Admiralty, 22nd April, 1876.*

The undermentioned Officer has this day been promoted to the rank of Fleet Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet, with the seniority stated against his name :—

John Fisher, Esq., with seniority of the 3rd April, 1876.

*War Office, Pall Mall,  
25th April, 1876.*

74th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant-General the  
Right Honourable Sir Percy Egerton Herbert.

K.C.B., to be Colonel, vice General Charles Augustus Shawe, deceased. Dated 5th April, 1876.

*Royal Engineers*, Major-General George Wynne to be Colonel-Commandant, vice General H. Servanté, deceased. Dated 27th February, 1876.

Lieutenant-General Henry Blois Turner (late Bombay) to be Colonel-Commandant, vice General W. Scott, deceased. Dated 20th March, 1876.

Lieutenant Edward Merry Larminie to be Captain, vice G. H. L. Pole, deceased. Dated 23rd February, 1876.

*Chaplains' Department*, Chaplain of the Third Class the Reverend James M'Whinny to be Chaplain of the Second Class. Dated 4th March, 1876.

Chaplain of the Third Class the Reverend Reginald H. Bullock, M.A., to be Chaplain of the Second Class. Dated 23rd April, 1876.

The Reverend Thomas Foran to be Chaplain of the Fourth Class. Dated 24th October, 1874, such antedate not to carry back allowances.

The Reverend Frederick J. Bateman to be Chaplain of the Fourth Class. Dated 16th October, 1875, such antedate not to carry back allowances.

### BREVET.

Major Thomas Beckley, Royal (late Madras) Engineers, retired upon a pension, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 20th November, 1875.

The following promotions to take place consequent on the death, on the 26th February, 1876,  
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of General H. Servanté, Colonel-Commandant, Royal Engineers :—

Lieutenant-General William Turnbull Renwiek, Colonel-Commandant, Royal Engineers, to be General. Dated 27th February, 1876.

Major-General George Wynne, Royal Engineers, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 27th February, 1876.

Colonel Charles Fanshawe, Royal Engineers, to be Major-General. Dated 28th June, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 27th February, 1876.

The following promotions to take place consequent on the death, on the 19th March, 1876, of General Walter Scott, Colonel-Commandant, Royal (late Bombay) Engineers :—

Lieutenant-General Sir Arthur Thomas Cotton, K.C.S.I., Colonel-Commandant, Royal (late Madras) Engineers, to be General. Dated 20th March, 1876.

Major-General Charles Alexander Orr, Colonel-Commandant, Royal (late Madras) Engineers, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 20th March, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel John Archibald Ballard, C.B., Royal (late Bombay) Engineers, from the Seconded List, to be Major-General. Dated 28th June, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 20th March, 1876.

The following Officers having completed the qualifying service in the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonels :—

Lieutenant-Colonel John Goddard, Royal (late Madras) Engineers. Dated 24th March, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel Lindsay Russell, Royal (late Bengal) Engineers. Dated 24th March, 1876.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens,  
April 21, 1876.*

THE Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby give notice that the following employment in connexion with the service of the Board of Trade is added to Schedule B of the Order in Council of the 4th June, 1870, viz. :—

Coal Porter, at No. 1, Whitehall.

*Treasury Chambers, April 24, 1876.*

THE Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby give notice that the following situation under the Admiralty is withdrawn from Schedule A of the Order in Council of the 4th June, 1870, viz. :—

The situation of—

Foremen of Boiler Makers in Her Majesty's Dockyards.

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FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 28,*  
1876.

By the QUEEN.  
A PROCLAMATION.

*VICTORIA, R.*

WHEREAS an Act has been passed in the present Session of Parliament, intituled “An

“ Act to enable Her Most Gracious Majesty to  
 “ make an Addition to the Royal Style and Titles  
 “ appertaining to the Imperial Crown of the  
 “ United Kingdom and its Dependencies,” which  
 Act recites that, by the Act for the Union of  
 Great Britain and Ireland, it was provided that  
 after such Union the Royal Style and Titles  
 appertaining to the Imperial Crown of the United  
 Kingdom and its Dependencies should be such  
 as His Majesty by His Royal Proclamation under  
 the Great Seal of the United Kingdom should be  
 pleased to appoint: and which Act also recites  
 that, by virtue of the said Act, and of a Royal  
 Proclamation under the Great Seal, dated the  
 1st day of January, 1801, Our present Style and  
 Titles are “ Victoria, by the Grace of God,  
 of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and  
 Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith:” and  
 which Act also recites that, by the Act for  
 the better Government of India, it was enacted  
 that the Government of India, theretofore  
 vested in the East India Company in trust  
 for Us, should become vested in Us, and that  
 India should thenceforth be governed by Us and  
 in Our name, and that it is expedient that there  
 should be a recognition of the transfer of Govern-  
 ment so made by means of an addition to be made  
 to Our Style and Titles: And which Act, after  
 the said recitals, enacts that it shall be lawful for  
 Us, with a view to such recognition as aforesaid,  
 of the transfer of the Government of India, by  
 Our Royal Proclamation under the Great Seal of  
 the United Kingdom, to make such addition to the  
 Style and Titles at present appertaining to the  
 Imperial Crown of the United Kingdom and its  
 Dependencies as to Us may seem meet; We have  
 thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Privy  
 Council, to appoint and declare, and We do

hereby, by and with the said advice, appoint and declare that henceforth, so far as conveniently may be, on all occasions and in all instruments wherein Our Style and Titles are used, save and except all Charters, Commissions, Letters Patent, Grants, Writs, Appointments, and other like instruments, not extending in their operation beyond the United Kingdom, the following addition shall be made to the Style and Titles at present appertaining to the Imperial Crown of the United Kingdom and its Dependencies; that is to say, in the Latin tongue in these words: "*Indiæ Imperatrix.*" And in the English tongue in these words: "Empress of India."

And Our will and pleasure further is, that the said addition shall not be made in the Commissions, Charters, Letters Patent, Grants, Writs, Appointments, and other like instruments, hereinbefore specially excepted.

And Our will and pleasure further is, that all gold, silver, and copper moneys, now current and lawful moneys of the United Kingdom, and all gold, silver, and copper moneys which shall, on or after this day, be coined by Our authority with the like impressions, shall, notwithstanding such addition to Our Style and Titles, be deemed and taken to be current and lawful moneys of the said United Kingdom; and further that all moneys coined for and issued in any of the Dependencies of the said United Kingdom, and declared by Our Proclamation to be current and lawful money of such Dependencies, respectively bearing Our Style, or Titles, or any part or parts thereof, and all moneys which shall hereafter be coined and issued according to such Proclamation, shall, notwithstanding such addition, continue to be lawful and current money of such Dependencies

respectively, until Our pleasure shall be further declared thereupon.

Given at Our Court at *Windsor*, the twenty-eighth day of *April*, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, in the thirty-ninth year of Our Reign.

GOD save the QUEEN.

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*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,  
April 28, 1876.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales will, by command of The Queen, hold Levees at St. James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Monday, the 15th, and on Monday, the 22nd of May next, at two o'clock.

It is The Queen's pleasure that Presentations to His Royal Highness at the Levee shall be considered as equivalent to Presentations to Her Majesty.

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#### REGULATIONS

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S LEVEES TO BE HELD BY HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE PRINCE OF WALES, ON BEHALF OF HER MAJESTY, AT ST. JAMES'S PALACE.

*By Her Majesty's Command,*

The Noblemen and Gentlemen, who propose to attend Her Majesty's Levees, at St. James's Palace, are requested to bring with them two large cards, with their names *clearly written* thereon, one to be left with The Queen's Page in attendance in the Corridor, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to His Royal Highness.



## PRESENTATIONS.

Any Nobleman or Gentleman who proposes to be presented, must leave at the Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, *before twelve o'clock*, two clear days before the Levee, a card with his name written thereon, and with the name of the Nobleman or Gentleman by whom he is to be presented. In order to carry out the existing regulations that no presentation can be made at a Levee excepting by a person actually attending that Levee, it is also necessary that an intimation from the Nobleman or Gentleman who is to make the presentation, of his intention to be present, should accompany the presentation card above referred to, which will be submitted to The Queen for Her Majesty's approbation. It is Her Majesty's command that no presentations shall be made at the Levee, except in accordance with the above regulations.

It is particularly requested, that in every case the names be *very distinctly written* upon the cards to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, in order that there may be no difficulty in announcing them to His Royal Highness.

The State Apartments will be open for the reception of Company coming to Court at one o'clock.

HERTFORD,

Lord Chamberlain.

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*Whitehall, April 26, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Seal appointed by the Treaty of Union to be kept and made use of in place of the Great Seal of Scotland, appointing the Right Honourable John Inglis,

Lord Justice-General, and President of the Court of Session in Scotland ; the Most Noble Walter Francis, Duke of Buccleuch and Queensberry, K.G. ; the Right Honourable James, Baron Monereiff, Lord Justice-Clerk, and President of the Second Division of the Court of Session in Scotland ; the Right Honourable Lyon Playfair, C.B. ; Sir William Stirling Maxwell, Bart. ; James Craufurd, Esq., one of the Senators of the College of Justice in Scotland ; William Watson, LL.D., Dean of the Faculty of Advocates, Her Majesty's Solicitor-General for Scotland ; John Muir, D.C.L. ; James Anthony Froude, Esq. ; Archibald Campbell Swinton, LL.D. ; Thomas Henry Huxley, LL.D., Professor of Natural History in the Royal School of Mines ; and James Alexander Campbell, LL.D., to be Her Majesty's Commissioners to inquire into various matters connected with the Universities of Scotland.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Robert Berry, Esq., Advocate, Professor of Roman Law, and the Law of Scotland in the University of Glasgow, to be Secretary to the Commission.

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*Downing Street, April 26, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Lovell Barchett Clarence, Esq., to be Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Rupert Ryder and James Cobbold Smith, Esqrs., to be Members of the Legislative Council of the Colony of Fiji.

*Downing Street, April 27, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint William Keswick, Esq., to be a Member of the Legislative Council of the Colony of Hong Kong.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint King Pitman Penchoen, Esq., to be a Member of the Legislative Council of the Island of Montserrat.

*Downing Street, April 28, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint James Topp, Esq., to be a Member of the Legislative Council of Her Majesty's Settlement on the Gambia.

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*Crown Office, April 28, 1876.*

MEMBER returned to serve in the present  
PARLIAMENT.

*East Cumberland.*

Edward Stafford Howard, Esq., of Thornbury Castle, Gloucestershire, Barrister at-Law, in the place of William Nicholson Hodgson, Esq., deceased.

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*Whitehall, April 13, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Robert Helme, of the Forest, Walthamstow, in the county of Essex, Esq., in the Commission of the Peace for the said county, son of Robert Helme, late of Walthamstow aforesaid, Esq., in the Commission of the Peace and a Deputy-Lieutenant for the county of Middlesex, by Blandinah, his wife, second but eldest surviving daughter of William Mashiter, late of Cottons, in the parish of Romford, in the county of Essex, Esq., in the Commission for the Peace for the counties of Essex and Middlesex, and sister of Thomas Mashiter, late of Hornchurch Lodge, in the said county of Essex, Esq., also in the Com-

mission of the Peace for the said county of Middlesex, all deceased, Her Royal Licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a clause contained in the last will and testament of his maternal uncle, the said Thomas Mashiter, deceased, take and henceforth use the surname of Mashiter instead of that of Helme :

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms, otherwise to be void and of none effect,

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*Admiralty, 25th April, 1876.*

The announcement, contained in the London Gazette, of the 24th December last and of the 21st March last, of the retirement of Fleet Surgeon Frederick William Blake, M.D., and of his promotion to the honorary rank of Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets in Her Majesty's Fleet, are to be considered as cancelled.

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*War Office, 28th April, 1876.*

MILITIA.

*Cambridge.*

The services of Captain and Honorary Major John Julius Tullie Haylock are dispensed with in consequence of ill health. Dated 29th April, 1876.

John Julius Tullie Haylock, Esq., late Captain and Honorary Major, is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 29th April, 1876.

*Deron Artillery.*

Lieutenant John Edgcombe Loveband resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.

*6th Royal Lancashire.*

Herbert Symonds, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 11th April, 1876.

*Leicester.*

Charles Emilius Curll, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.

*Nottingham or Royal Sherwood Foresters.*

Captain Hugh Augustus Crofton resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 29th April, 1876.

*Royal Sussex Artillery.*

Reginald Hayes Sadler, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.

*Haddington, Berwick, Linlithgow, and Peebles Artillery.*

Walter Charteris Ross, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th April, 1876.

*2nd Royal Lanark.*

Major George Augustus Alston is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 29th April, 1876.

*The Prince of Wales' Royal Regiment of Longford Rifles.*

Captain Luke Loftus Bushe Fox is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 29th April, 1876.

*North Tipperary.*

John Francis Trant, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant  
(Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.

*Waterford Artillery.*

Lieutenant Thomas Francis Lyons, from the North  
Cork Militia, to be Lieutenant. Dated 29th  
April, 1876.

## · YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

*West Somerset.*

Lieutenant William G. G. Maclean resigns his  
Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.

*Warwickshire.*

Philip John Canning Howard, Gent., to be Sub-  
Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th  
April, 1876.

*1st West York.*

Frank Mappin, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant.  
Dated 29th April, 1876.

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*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the  
County Palatine of Durham.*

Henry Chaytor, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.  
Dated 20th March, 1876.

FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 2,*  
 1876.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,*  
*April 29, 1876.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that The Queen will hold Drawing Rooms at Buckingham Palace, on Wednesday, the 10th of May, and on Friday, the 12th of May next, at three o'clock.

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*Colonial Office, Downing Street,*  
*May 1, 1876.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to make the following appointment to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George :

To be an Ordinary Member of the First Class, or Knights Grand Cross of the said Order :—

His Highness Sir Datu Tummongong Abubakr Sri, Maharajah of Johore, K.C.S.I.

*Colonial Office, Downing Street,*  
*May 2, 1876.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to make the following appointments to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George :

To be Ordinary Members of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Order :—

Richard Daintree, Esq., late Agent-General for the Colony of Queensland.



Valesius Skipton Gouldsbury, Esq., M.D.,  
Surgeon in the Army, and now serving in the  
Gold Coast Colony.

Vineenzo Bugeja, Esq., Founder of the Or-  
phanage for Girls in the Island of Malta.

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*Whitehall, May 1, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal appointing the Reverend Frederic William Farrar, D.D., to the place and dignity of a Canon of the Collegiate Church of St. Peter, Westminster, with the Rectory of the parish church of St. Margaret's, Westminster. thereunto annexed and united, void by the death of the Reverend William Conway.

*Whitehall, April 24, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Hamilton Dunbar Vidler, of Overton, in the parish of Shottesden, in the county of Salop, and of Pool, in the county of Lanark, widow and relict of John Vidler, late of Southsea, in the county of Southampton, Gentleman, deceased, and only surviving child of George Tovey, late of Hove, in the borough of Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Esquire, Colonel in the Army, also deceased, Her Royal License and authority that she may, in compliance with a proviso contained in a deed of disposition and entail executed by William Tennent, late of Pool aforesaid, Esquire, deceased, assume and take upon herself the surname of Tennent, instead of that of Vidler, and bear, use, and carry the arms of Tennent of Pool; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal License and permission to be void and of none effect :

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's said College of Arms.

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*Admiralty, 28th April, 1876.*

The following promotions have been this day made :—

Sub-Lieutenants :

Arthur Channer,  
 Harold Godfrey Bird,  
 George Albert Smith,  
 William Frederiek Glaseott Clarke,  
 Honourable Francis Spring-Rice,  
 Andrew Leslie Murray,  
 Duncan Munro Ross,  
 Herbert Kingsmill Lukin Phillips,  
 Clayton Robert Edward Leslie,  
 William Theobald Bourke,  
 William Heriot Maitland Dougall,  
 Philip Francis Tillard,  
 Alfred Turner Holmes,  
 Arthur Alexander Broughton,  
 William Charles Holland Hastings,  
 Charles Skelton Nicholson,  
 Frederick George Stopford,  
 Charles John Graves Sawle,  
 William Boileau Charter,  
 Henry James Morgan,  
 Cornwallis Jasper Trower,  
 Henry Seymour Lake,

to be Lieutenants in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Acting Sub-Lieutenant William Cossley Atherton has also been promoted to be Acting Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet, and will be confirmed subject to his passing the required examination at the Royal Naval College.

*War Office, Pall Mall,*

*2nd May, 1876.*

*6th Regiment of Dragoon Guards*, Sub-Lieutenant Percy Hugh Hamon Massy, from 1st Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant D. Thick, deceased. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*7th Dragoon Guards*, Lieutenant-Colonel John Peyton retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*1st Dragoons*, Major John Gordon Graham to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel James Ainslie, deceased. Dated 10th April, 1876.

Captain Edmund Bacon Hutton to be Major, vice J. G. Graham. Dated 10th April, 1876.

Lieutenant Henry Russell Worthington, from 12th Laneers, to be Captain, vice E. B. Hutton. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*3rd Hussars*, Sub-Lieutenant Reginald Charles Freeman, from 84th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant R. G. Dickson, promoted. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*4th Hussars*, Veterinary-Surgeon of the First Class Thomas Paton, from the Army Service Corps, to be Veterinary Surgeon, vice Veterinary-Surgeon of the First Class H. Sewell, who exchanges. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*10th Hussars*, Sub-Lieutenant David Stanley William, Lord Ogilvy, from Scots Fusilier Guards, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant R. F. P. Starin, deceased. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*13th Hussars*, Sub-Lieutenant Oliver Heywood-Jones resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*18th Hussars*, Major Christopher Barton to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel R. B. Prettejohn, C.B., retired upon full-pay. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Captain and Brevet Major Thomas Phillips to be Major, vice Barton. Dated 1st April, 1876.

The Commission as Captain of Captain James Stuart to be antedated to 19th January, 1876.

Lieutenant Harry William Parker to be Captain, vice Brevet Major Phillips. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*Coldstream Guards*, Surgeon James Magill, M.D., to be Surgeon, vice Surgeon-Major J. W. Trotter, appointed Battalion-Surgeon Scots Fusilier Guards. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*Scots Fusilier Guards*, Sub-Lieutenant Eugène Leopold Selwyn Brett, from 35th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice Lord Ogilvy, transferred to 10th Hussars. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*1st Foot*, Sub-Lieutenant Percy Hugh Hamon Massy, from the Unattached List, to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice G. C. Kitson, transferred to the 60th Foot. Dated 11th February, 1875, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to the 3rd May, 1876.

Lieutenant George Charles Peard to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant S. B. Moore, removed from that appointment. Dated 13th March, 1876.

*10th Foot*, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel William Wiltshire Lynch, from half-pay, late 2nd Foot, Deputy Judge-Advocate, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice C. S. Dowson, whose restoration to full-pay, dated 23rd October, 1875, is cancelled. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*14th Foot*, Captain William Thomas Croft, from half-pay, late 65th Foot, to be Captain, vice 1876.

J. D. Bradley, retired on temporary half-pay.  
Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*21st Foot*, Captain Francis Wingfield Douglass, from half-pay, late 7th Foot, to be Captain. vice J. B. Jackson, retired on temporary half-pay. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*24th Foot*, Lieutenant Reginald Younghusband to be Captain, vice H. R. Farquhar, made Supernumerary on being appointed Adjutant. Royal Breeon Militia, in succession to an Officer who did not retire under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 24th March, 1875. Dated 14th March, 1876.

*26th Foot*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Frederic Arthur Willis, C.B., retires upon half-pay. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

Lieutenant Archibald Duffield Eden to be Captain, vice W. H. Salwey, retired. Dated 19th April, 1876.

*38th Foot*, Captain Philip H. Eyre to be Major, vice W. K. Elles, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Deputy-Assistant Quartermaster - General at Head - Quarters. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Lieutenant Charles Whitmore Isaacs to be Captain, vice Eyre. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*43rd Foot*, The retirement from the Service, receiving the value of an Ensigncy, of Lieutenant Joseph Granville Stuart Goff, which was notified in the Gazette of the 18th April, 1876, is cancelled.

*65th Foot*, Lieutenant Frederiek Luttmann-Johnson to be Captain, vice C. G. B. Martin, retired. Dated 19th April, 1876.

*73rd Foot*, Lieutenant Henry Joseph Harrison retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*86th Foot*, Lieutenant Francis Godfray Bertram retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*95th Foot*, Lieutenant John Henry Stawell Seagram to be Captain, vice R. Lefroy, retired. Dated 19th April, 1876.

*109th Foot*, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Francis Brooke retires upon half-pay, having been appointed Deputy Adjutant-General in Bengal. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*2nd West India Regiment*, Sub-Lieutenant Warren Hastings to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th February, 1874.

*Army Service Corps*, Veterinary-Surgeon of the First Class Herbert Sewell, from the 4th Hussars, to be Veterinary-Surgeon, vice Veterinary-Surgeon of the First Class T. Paton, who exchanges. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*Medical Department*, James Magill, M.D., to be Surgeon. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*Unattached List*, Augustus Ferryman Mockler, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

Nicholas Henry Bacon, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

William Arthur Young, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

Henry Melvill, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

Edgar Waldegrave Brodie, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

### BREVET.

The surname of the Major of the Bengal Staff Corps, promoted to the rank of Lieutenant-

Colonel on the 10th February, 1876, is Fosbery, and not Fosberry, as stated in the Gazette of 7th March, 1876.

Paymaster John Connor, 87th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 15th April, 1876.

The surname of the Lieutenant and Deputy Commissary, Madras Establishment, who was granted the honorary rank of Captain, dated 28th August, 1875, is Lissenburg, and not Lissenberg, as stated in the Gazette of the 4th January, 1876.

The surname of the Deputy-Assistant Commissary, Bengal Establishment, who was granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant, but to be junior of that rank for one year, dated 1st April, 1875, is Litster, and not Litsler, as stated in the Gazette of 5th October, 1875.

The following promotions to take place consequent on the death, on 4th April, 1876, of General Charles Augustus Shawe, Colonel of the 74th Foot :—

Lieutenant-General Charles Algernon Lewis, Colonel, 64th Foot, to be General. Dated 5th April, 1876.

Major-General Samuel Tolfrey Christie, C.B., to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 5th April, 1876.

Brevet-Colonel William Frederiek Curtis, from Lieutenant-Colonel, half-pay, late 21st Hussars, to be Major-General. Dated 16th August, 1868, such antedate not to carry back, pay prior to 5th April, 1876.

Major Henry Doveton Battye, Bengal Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 5th April, 1876.

Captain Charles Sidney Williams, Royal Marine Artillery, to be Major. Dated 5th April, 1876.



## MEMORANDUM.

Major George P. Edward Morrison, half-pay, late Military Train, retires from the service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 1st April, 1876.

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*War Office, 2nd May, 1876.*

## MILITIA.

*Royal Anglesey.*

Thomas Edmund Burke, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 17th April, 1876.

*Cambridge.*

Henry Lockhart Smith, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 24th April, 1876.

*The Royal Cornwall Rangers, Duke of Cornwall's Own.*

Major Thomas Frederick Hill Alms resigns his Commission, also is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*Royal Denbigh.*

Captain Richard Frederick Birch to be Major (Supernumerary). Dated 24th April, 1876.

*2nd, or South Devon.*

Major Robert Trood is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 3rd May, 1876.  
Major Charles Seale Hayne is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*Devon Artillery.*

George John Ellicombe, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 24th April, 1876.

*1st Durham.*

Sub-Lieutenant Alfred Graham Cartwright, from the Royal Cornwall Rangers, Duke of Cornwall's Own Militia, to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*Royal North Gloucester.*

Major Allen Alexander Bathurst is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*Hants, Isle of Wight, Artillery.*

Lieutenant Lord Edward Spencer Churchill resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*East Kent.*

Gerald George Whitehead, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 24th April, 1876.

*Kent Artillery.*

Major Walter George Stirling to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 24th April, 1876.

*2nd Royal Lancashire.*

Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander Thomas Knight resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

Captain and Brevet Major Reginald Whitting, 8th Foot, to be Adjutant. Dated 21st April, 1876.  
Adjutant Reginald Whitting to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 21st April, 1876.

*5th Royal Lancashire.*

The appointment of William Charles Golding, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, notified in the Gazette of the 14th April, 1876, to bear date 10th April, 1876.

*7th Royal Lancashire.*

Captain John George Cooke resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*Royal Elthorne or 5th Middlesex.*

Lieutenant Duncan Macdonald Hedley resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*1st or West Norfolk.*

Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Peisley L'Estrange resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

Captain Randall Robert Burroughes to be Major, vice the Honourable F. Walpole, deceased. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*Oxford.*

Captain Richard Maximilian Pulteney; 52nd Foot, to be Adjutant. Dated 19th April, 1876.

Adjutant Richard Maximilian Pulteney to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 19th April, 1876.

*Shropshire.*

Lieutenant William Lovett to be Captain, vice H. P. Jones resigned. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*2nd Somerset.*

Captain Philip Percy Doveton Clarke, half-pay, late 46th Foot, to be Captain, vice V. U. Langworthy, promoted. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*The (King's Own) 1st Stafford.*

Lieutenant-Colonel Pryce Ilbert Harrison is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*Suffolk Artillery.*

Lieutenant Augustine Robert Whiteway resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*West Suffolk.*

Henry Stephen Swiney, Esq., late Captain 1st Royal Dragoons, to be Captain. Dated 20th April, 1876.

*2nd Royal Surrey.*

Major William Pontifex resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*Royal Sussex.*

Major Joseph Fiennes Blake is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*The King's Own Royal Tower Hamlets.*

Charles Berkeley Pigott, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*East York.*

Sub-Lieutenant Lutwidge Dunbar Reynard-Cookson resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*Yorkshire Artillery.*

Lieutenant Charles Francis Fellows to be Captain, vice R. C. Wintour, promoted. Dated 15th April, 1876.

*2nd West York.*

Lieutenant William Edward Oates resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*Argyll and Bute Artillery.*

James Mitchell Mutter, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*The Edinburgh or Queen's Regiment of Light Infantry.*

Sir George Douglas Clerk, Bart., late Lieutenant 2nd Life Guards, to be Captain, vice J. Craig, resigned. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*The Duke of Edinburgh's Own Edinburgh Artillery.*

William Wilson-Stewart, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*Highland Borderers Light Infantry.*

Captain Duncan Campbell resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*The Highland Light Infantry.*

Basil Henry Scott Murray, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*Carlow.*

Archer Clive Bolton, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 18th April, 1876.

*South Cork.*

Captain Christopher Middlemass Davidson, 104th Foot, to be Adjutant. Dated 21st April, 1876.  
Adjutant Christopher Middlemass Davidson to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 21st April, 1876.

*Royal Cork City Artillery.*

Joseph Edward Lucas Thackwell, Esq., late Lieutenant 5th Lancers, to be Captain, vice J. F., Viscount Bernard, promoted. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*Royal South Down.*

William Francis Annesley Wallace, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*Royal Dublin City.*

Sub-Lieutenant Michael Charles Christopher Burke resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*Dublin City Artillery.*

Quartermaster Walter Murphy resigns his Commission, and is placed on a retired allowance, also is granted the honorary rank of Captain, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*Kerry.*

Lieutenant the Honourable Charles Mark Allanson Winn, from the South Cork Militia, to be Captain. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*Kildare.*

Lieutenant Lord Maurice Fitzgerald to be Captain. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*Royal Limerick County.*

Quartermaster Eyre Powell resigns his Commission, and is placed on a retired allowance. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*Queen's County.*

John Craven Carden, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 20th April, 1876.

*Royal Tyrone Fusiliers.*

Captain Lord George F. Hamilton resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*Wexford.*

Montifort George Bolton, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 3rd May, 1876.

## YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

*Buckinghamshire.*

Major Thomas Knox Holmes resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*Derbyshire.*

Lieutenant Humphrey J. Walmesley resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*Royal East Kent.*

St. Aubyn Henry Player, Esq., late Captain 6th Dragoons, to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*Lanarkshire (Queen's Own Royal Glasgow and Lower Ward of Lanarkshire).*

Walter James Douglas Campbell, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 24th April, 1876.

*Leicestershire.*

The Honourable William Henry Curzon, late Major 17th Lancers, to be Captain, vice H. T. Boulton, resigned. Dated 19th April, 1876.



*Royal Wiltshire.*

Major John Alexander, Marquis of Bath, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice G. W. F., Marquis of Ailesbury, K.G., A.D.C., appointed Honorary Colonel. Dated 13th April, 1876.

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FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 5,*  
 1876.

*Treasury Chambers, May 5, 1876.*

THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury have been pleased to appoint Evelyn Philip Shirley, Esq., to be a Trustee of the National Portrait Gallery, in the room of the Earl Stanhope, deceased.

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(S. & C. 1004.)

*Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall,*  
*May 4, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Guatemala, announcing the issue of a Decree by the Minister of War charged with the Government of the Republic, raising the Customs and Excise duties. A copy of the Decree may be seen on application at the Statistical and Commercial Department of the Board of Trade.

*Admiralty, 2nd May, 1876.*

*Royal Marines.*

The undermentioned promotions have taken place in the Royal Marine Artillery, viz. :—

Lieutenant and Military Instructor Burnett Greive Hall to be Captain and Military Instructor, vice F. H. E. Owen, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant, 1st Administrative Brigade Monmouthshire Artillery Volunteers. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Lieutenant Frank Roberts to be Captain, vice Hall. Dated 1st April, 1876.

The undermentioned promotion has taken place in the Royal Marine Light Infantry, viz. :—

Lieutenant Gerald Altham Heseltine to be Captain, vice Captain and Brevet Major E. B. Snow, retired under the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870. Dated 15th April, 1876.

Such promotion to be contingent upon Captain Heseltine passing the required examination for his rank in June next.

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FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 9,*  
1876.

*Downing Street, May 6, 1876.*

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Arthur N. Birch, Esq., C.M.G., Colonial Secretary of Ceylon, to be Lieutenant-Governor of that Colony.

(S. &amp; C. 1013.)

*Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall,  
May 8, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Tangier, announcing that the Sultan of Morocco has extended the term for the exportation of maize, beans, and peas for one year commencing from the 10th April last.

(S. &amp; C. 1014.)

*Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall,  
May 8, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires and Consul-General at Caracas, announcing a resolution by the Government of Venezuela "that the Maritime Custom-house of Puerto Cabello be authorized to give permission to the national or foreign vessels that solicit it, with the object of going to Maracaibo to load fustic or dividive, and to sail from thence direct for Europe or the United States of America."

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*Admiralty, 8th May, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Paymaster John George Barnes has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 5th instant.

Fleet Surgeon Daniel J. Duigan, M.D., has been placed on the Retired List from the 22nd ultimo, and allowed to assume the rank of Retired Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets from that date.

*War Office, Pall Mall,*

*9th May, 1876.*

*Royal Regiment of Artillery*, Captain and Brevet Major Brabazon Henry Pottinger (late Bombay) upon the Supernumerary List, to be Major. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Captain John Henry Lloyd (late Bombay), from the Supernumerary List, to be Major, vice C. E. Basevi (late Bombay), placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Major William Ruxton Barlow, from the Supernumerary List, to be Major, vice F. A. Anley, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Major Henry Bond, from the Supernumerary List to be Major, vice M. Tweedie, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Captain George Algernon Russell (late Bengal) to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel J. Hills, C.B., V.C. (late Bengal), placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Lieutenant Richard Corbett to be Captain, vice R. J. Hezlett, placed upon Supernumerary List. Dated 14th March, 1876.

Captain Edward Smith Gordon, from the Supernumerary List, to be Captain, vice G. W. Hawkins, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Captain Morton Lawrence Porter, from the Supernumerary List, to be Captain, vice F. L. Graves, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Captain Leonard Downes, from the Supernumerary List, to be Captain, vice J. B. Ormsby, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Captain William McClintock, from the Supernumerary List, to be Captain, vice G. A.

Russell (late Bengal), promoted. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Lieutenant Gordon George Monck-Mason, from the Supernumerary List, to be Lieutenant, vice W. J. B. Bird, placed upon the Supernumerary List, as a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 10th May, 1876.

The temporary Commissions as Lieutenant of the undermentioned Officers to be made permanent, and to be antedated as stated against their names, such antedate not to carry back pay, viz. :—

Edward William Fleming. Dated 28th January, 1875.

George Edwin Annesley Woods. Dated 28th January, 1875.

David Fitzgerald Downing. Dated 28th January, 1875.

George Robert Townshend. Dated 28th January, 1875.

Andrew Bell-Irving. Dated 28th January, 1875.

Edward Nash. Dated 28th January, 1875.

Henry Crichton Selater. Dated 28th January, 1875.

Thomas Vaughan Wynn Phillips. Dated 28th January, 1875.

Charles Napier Simpson. Dated 28th January, 1875.

Edward Sinclair May. Dated 28th January, 1875.

Reginald Pemberton Leach. Dated 28th January, 1875.

Octavius Rowe. Dated 28th January, 1875.

Reginald Evelyn Boothby. Dated 28th January, 1875.

William Henry Darby. Dated 28th January, 1875.

- Hugh Morgan Aplin. Dated 28th January, 1875.  
 Ernest Edmund Taylor. Dated 28th January, 1875.  
 Walter Fullarton Ludovic Lindsay. Dated 28th January, 1875.  
 Richard Allason Bannatine. Dated 28th January, 1875.  
 Henry Cleland Dunlop. Dated 28th January, 1875.  
 James Owen Hodgson. Dated 28th January, 1875.  
 Edmund Roger Allday Kerrison. Dated 28th January, 1875.  
 Sir Godfrey Vignoles Thomas, Bart. Dated 28th January, 1875.  
 William Frederick King. Dated 28th January, 1875.  
 Charles Maximilian Thomas Western. Dated 28th January, 1875.  
 Walter Ebenezer Brereton. Dated 28th January, 1875.  
 James William Dunlop. Dated 28th January, 1875.  
 Gilbert Frederick Allan Norton. Dated 28th January, 1875.  
 Thomas Hampden Evans Acton. Dated 28th January, 1875.  
 George Edward Giles. Dated 28th January, 1875.  
 Robert Lewis Haines. Dated 28th January, 1875.

*Coast Brigade*, Garrison Quartermaster-Serjeant Thomas W. Kirkbride to be Lieutenant, vice T. Davey, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 10th May, 1876.

*Royal Engineers*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Charles Scrope Hutchinson, upon the 1876.

Seconded List, to be Colonel. Dated 27th February, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Henry Wray to be Colonel, vice C. Fanshawe, removed as a General Officer. Dated 27th February, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Charles Pasley, upon the Supernumerary List, to be Colonel. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel John Stokes, C.B., to be Colonel, vice F. R. Chesney retired upon full-pay. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Sir Andrew Clarke, K.C.M.G., C.B., from the Supernumerary List, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel H. Wray. Dated 27th February, 1876.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Sir John Clayton Cowell, K.C.B., upon the temporary Reserve List, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel C. C. Chesney, deceased. Dated 20th March, 1876.

Major Robert Hawthorn to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel J. Stokes, C.B. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Major Robert Murdoch Smith, from the Supernumerary List, to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Sir J. C. Cowell, K.C.B. Dated 20th March, 1876.

Captain Arthur Parnell to be Major, vice R. Hawthorn. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Lieutenant Lothian Kerr Scott to be Captain, vice A. Parnell. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Lieutenant Frederick Savile Shepherd retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 9th May, 1876.

*Brigade Dépôts*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel the Honourable Bernard Mathew



Ward, from half-pay, late 32nd Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 10th May, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel George Craster Lambert, from half-pay, late 101st Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 10th May, 1876.

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*War Office, 9th May, 1876.*

## MILITIA.

### *Royal Anglesey.*

Captain William Hugh Thomas, half-pay, late 49th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 10th May, 1876.

### *Royal South Gloucester.*

Captain Walter Nugent Morton resigns his Commission. Dated 10th May, 1876.

### *Huntingdon.*

Claude George Henry Sitwell, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 24th April, 1876.

### *2nd Royal Lancashire.*

Lieutenant James Garstang Brogden resigns his Commission. Dated 10th May, 1876.

### *Royal Lancashire Artillery.*

Seymour Mesey Halifax Le Marchant, Esq., to be Captain. Dated 21st February, 1876.

### *Royal Elthorne, or 5th Middlesex.*

Sub-Lieutenant William Munro Shervinton resigns his Commission. Dated 10th May, 1876.

*Royal Montgomery.*

William Charles Hunter, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 25th April, 1876.

*1st or West Norfolk.*

Captain Frederick Willock Garnett to be Major. Dated 10th May, 1876.

*Nottingham or Royal Sherwood Foresters.*

Sub-Lieutenant Lindsay James Arbuthnott Daniell resigns his Commission. Dated 10th May, 1876.

*1st Royal Surrey.*

Major Stewart Forbes is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 10th May, 1876.

*Royal Ayr and Wigtown.*

William Weir, Esq., late Quartermaster, is granted the honorary rank of Captain, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 23rd February, 1876.

*Edinburgh or Queen's Regiment of Light Infantry.*

James Cumming Dewar, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 27th April, 1876.

*Fife Artillery.*

Sub-Lieutenant Reginald Watkin Edward resigns his Commission. Dated 10th May, 1876.

*Antrim Artillery.*

James A'hmuty Fearon, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 24th April, 1876.

*Donegal.*

William Rodney Collum, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 25th April, 1876.

*Royal South Down.*

Bertram Lyulph Joseph Goff, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 10th May, 1876.

*Royal Dublin City.*

Augustus St. John Seton, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 28th April, 1876.

*Dublin City Artillery.*

Surgeon Henry Wilson resigns his Commission. Dated 10th May, 1876.

## YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

*Royal North Devon.*

Captain J. Curzon Moore Stevens resigns his Commission. Dated 10th May, 1876.

*Royal East Kent.*

Henry Nevill Dering, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 10th May, 1876.

*Lanarkshire (Queen's Own Royal Glasgow and Lower Ward of Lanarkshire).*

Lieutenant James McBride to be Captain, vice A. Ewing, deceased. Dated 10th May, 1876.

*Leicestershire.*

Lieutenant T. A. Craven to be Captain, vice T. C. D. Whitmore, resigned. Dated 24th April, 1876.

*Nottinghamshire (Southern Nottinghamshire).*

Captain Charles William Sydney, Viscount Newark resigns his Commission. Dated 10th May, 1876.

*Staffordshire.*

Lieutenant Charles Bagnall resigns his Commission. Dated 10th May, 1876.

*1st West York.*

Lieutenant Charles Herbert Hudson resigns his Commission. Dated 10th May, 1876.

Lieutenant Charles Booth Elmsall Wright resigns his Commission. Dated 10th May, 1876.

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*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Huntingdon.*

George John Rust, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

William Duberly, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant  
Dated 3rd May, 1876.

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## FROM THE

*LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 12,*  
1876.

*Windsor Castle, May 8, 1876.*

THIS day had audience of Her Majesty :—

His Excellency Lieutenant-General Count Menabrea, Ambassador from the King of Italy.  
to deliver his Credentials ; and

General Pedro Rómulo Negrete, Minister

Plenipotentiary from the Republic of Salvador, to deliver his Letter of Recall ;

To which audience they were respectively introduced by the Earl of Carnarvon, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies, 'acting for the Earl of Derby, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

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*War Office, April 28, 1876.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Lieutenant Verney Lovett Cameron, of the Royal Navy, to be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

*War Office, May 10, 1876.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of the under-mentioned gentlemen to be Ordinary Members of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, viz. :—

John Simon, Esq., Medical Officer of the Privy Council and of the Local Government Board.

The Honourable Bouverie Francis Primrose, Secretary of the Scotch Fishery Board, and Secretary of the Board of Trade and Manufactures, Scotland.

Nathaniel Barnaby, Esq., Director of Naval Construction under the Board of Admiralty.

William Pitt Dundas, Esq., Registrar-General of Births, Deaths, and Marriages for Scotland, and Deputy Keeper of the Privy Seal of Scotland.

William Stuart Walker, Esq., Chairman of the Board of Supervision for the Relief of the Poor, and of Public Health, Scotland.

*Foreign Office, April 20, 1876.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint George Alexander Stevens, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul at Nicolaieff to be Her Majesty's Consul in the Islands of Saint Thomas and Sainte Croix, to reside in the former Island.

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*Marlborough House, May 11, 1876.*

The Prince of Wales has been pleased to appoint Surgeon-General Sir Joseph Fayrer, K.C.S.I., M.D., to be an Honorary Physician to His Royal Highness.

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*Crown Office, May 12, 1876.*

MEMBER returned to serve in the present  
PARLIAMENT.

*West Aberdeenshire.*

Lord Douglas William Cope Gordon, of 41, Upper Grosvenor-street, Lieutenant Coldstream Guards, in the place of William McCombie, Esq., who has accepted the office of Steward of Her Majesty's Chiltern Hundreds.

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(H. 3776.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, May 10, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Bahia, reporting that yellow fever has appeared amongst the shipping at that port, and that foul bills of health are granted to ships clearing out from thence.

(H. 3778.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, May 10, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Lisbon, enclosing a Portuguese Official Notice declaring the port of Bahia infected with, and all the other ports of that province suspected of, yellow fever, since the 6th March last.

(S. &amp; C. 1055.)

*Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall,  
May 11, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Decree of the Swiss Federal Council, reducing to 10 centimes per quintal the export duty on rags, refuse from cotton manufactures, and other materials used in paper-making.

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*Admiralty, 10th May, 1876.*

*Royal Marines.*

The undermentioned promotions have taken place in the Royal Marines, consequent on Colonel-Commandant John William Collman Williams, Aide-de-Camp to the Queen, having been placed on the list of Reserved Colonels-Commandant, at his own request, under the provisions of the Orders in Council of 22nd February, 1870, and 4th August, 1873, viz. :—

Colonel and Second Commandant George Stephen Digby, C.B., to be Colonel-Commandant, vice Williams. Dated 3rd May, 1876.



Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Henry Adair to be Colonel and Second Commandant, vice Digby. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

Captain and Brevet Major Richard Turbervill Ansell to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Adair. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

Lieutenant William Miller to be Captain, vice Ansell. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*Admiralty, 11th May, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant William Henry Callwell has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Chief Engineer William Joseph Ibbett has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 5th February, 1872—

Sub-Lieutenant Alexander Cochrane Troubridge Bruce has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

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*War Office, 12th May, 1876.*

MILITIA.

*Royal Bucks.*

Francis George Higginson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 6th May, 1876.

*Cambridge.*

Lieutenant Leslie Archibald Innes resigns his Commission. Dated 13th May, 1876.

*Royal Cumberland.*

Sub-Lieutenant William Lamplugh Hervey resigns his Commission. Dated 13th May, 1876.

*1st Devon.*

Major John Walter Savile is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 13th May, 1876.

Sub-Lieutenant Leonard Gordon, from the Royal South Lincoln Militia, to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 13th May, 1876.

*Durham Artillery.*

Captain Francis Blake Eagle resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 13th May, 1876.

Captain Ernest Livingston Wood resigns his Commission. Dated 13th May, 1876.

*Royal Glamorgan.*

Lieutenant Reynolds Harrison, from the 2nd Royal Surrey Militia, to be Lieutenant. Dated 8th May, 1876.

*Huntingdon.*

Sub-Lieutenant Cecil Stratford Paget to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1874.

*East Kent.*

Assistant-Surgeon William Thompson Pater resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 13th May, 1876.

*Kent Artillery.*

Lieutenant Albert Alderson Addison resigns his Commission. Dated 13th May, 1876.

*3rd Royal Lancashire.*

Major Frederick Silvester is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 13th May, 1876.

*Royal Montgomery.*

Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary-Colonel George Beadnell resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 13th May, 1876.

*Oxford.*

Frederick Cadwallader Smith Dodsworth, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 13th May, 1876.

*Shropshire.*

John Davies, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 13th May, 1876.

*2nd Somerset.*

Lieutenant Thomas St. Lo Malet resigns his Commission. Dated 13th May, 1876.

*1st Royal Surrey.*

Lieutenant Waller Angelo Otway resigns his Commission. Dated 13th May, 1876.

Quartermaster George Rontree resigns his Commission, and is placed on a retired allowance, also is granted the honorary rank of Captain, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 13th May, 1876.

*2nd Royal Surrey.*

Captain and Honorary Major James Elyard to be Major. Dated 8th May, 1876.

Sub-Lieutenant Reginald Whitworth Porter, from the Royal Glamorgan Militia, to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 8th May, 1876.

*Royal Sussex.*

Lieutenant Thomas Cuthbert Kearney to be Captain. Dated 2nd May, 1876.

*Royal Sussex Artillery.*

Quartermaster William Weston resigns his Commission and is placed on a retired allowance, also is granted the honorary rank of Captain, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 13th May, 1876.

*The Queen's Own Royal Tower Hamlets.*

Alfred Lestock Ussher, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 8th May, 1876.

*2nd West York.*

Major John Hopkins resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 13th May, 1876.

*5th West York.*

Captain Harry St. John Jowers resigns his Commission. Dated 13th May, 1876.

*6th West York.*

Major William Henry Spencer resigns his Commission. Dated 13th May, 1876.

Sub-Lieutenant James Augustus Wake resigns his Commission. Dated 13th May, 1876.

*Scottish Borderers.*

Sub-Lieutenant James Walter Ferrier Connell resigns his Commission. Dated 13th May, 1876.

*North Cork.*

James Arthur Pratt, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 8th May, 1876.

*South Cork.*

Lieutenant Alfred Charles Donovan resigns his Commission. Dated 13th May, 1876.

*West Cork Artillery.*

Lieutenant Frederick Maclean Evans resigns his Commission. Dated 13th May, 1876.

*Donegal.*

Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel Solomon Darcus resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 13th May, 1876.

Captain and Honorary Major John Galbraith Tredennick to be Major, vice S. Darcus, who resigns. Dated 13th May, 1876.

*Royal North Down.*

Richard Henry Keown, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.

*Royal South Down.*

Lieutenant George Edmund Cuppaidge resigns his Commission. Dated 13th May, 1876.

*Royal Limerick County.*

Sub-Lieutenant George Crosbie Royse resigns his Commission. Dated 13th May, 1876.

*The Prince of Wales' Royal Regiment of Longford Rifles.*

Lieutenant William Henry Hare, Viscount Berehaven, from the West Cork Artillery Militia, to be Lieutenant. Dated 13th May, 1876.

*Louth.*

Captain George Philip Augustus Brabazon resigns his Commission. Dated 13th May, 1876.

*Queen's County.*

Sub-Lieutenant James de Courcy Ireland Hughes to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th May, 1874.

*1st or South Tipperary Artillery.*

Major Richard Orlando Kellett is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 13th May, 1876.

*Royal Tyrone Fusiliers.*

Lieutenant Rowley Alexander Miller to be Captain. Dated 13th May, 1876.

*Waterford Artillery.*

John Henry de la Poer Beresford, Marquis of Waterford, K.P., to be Honorary Colonel of the Regiment. Dated 13th May, 1876.

Raymond de la Poer, Esq., late Lieutenant, 15th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 13th May, 1876.

Lieutenant George Pigott Rogers to be Captain. Dated 13th May, 1876.

## YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

*Denbighshire.*

Lieutenant John Fairfax Jesse resigns his Commission. Dated 13th May, 1876.

*Gloucestershire.*

Lieutenant Thomas Graham Smith resigns his Commission. Dated 13th May, 1876.

*Montgomeryshire.*

Surgeon Maurice Lloyd Jones resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 13th May, 1876.

*Shropshire.*

Veterinary-Surgeon W. E. Lett resigns his Commission. Dated 13th May, 1876.

*North Somerset.*

Captain the Honourable Hedworth Hylton-Jolliffe resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 13th May, 1876.

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*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the  
County of Flint.*

John Scott Bankes, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th April, 1876.

Philip Pennant Pennant, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th April, 1876.

Whitehall Dod, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th April, 1876.

William Grenville Williams, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th April, 1876.

Philip William Godsal, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th April, 1876.



FROM THE  
SUPPLEMENT  
TO THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 12,*  
1876.

*Cumberland Lodge, Windsor Park,*  
*May 12, 1876.*

HER Royal Highness The Princess Helena, third Daughter of Her Majesty the Queen (Princess Christian of Schleswig-Holstein), was safely delivered of a Prince this day at half-past one o'clock A.M.

His Royal Highness The Prince Christian was present.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department arrived at Cumberland Lodge soon after.

FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 16,*  
1876.

*Buckingham Palace, May 12, 1876.*

THIS day had audience of Her Majesty:—

Señor Don José Francisco Medina, Minister Plenipotentiary from the Republic of Salvador, to deliver his Credentials;

To which audience he was introduced by the Marquis of Salisbury, Her Majesty's Principal  
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Secretary of State for India, acting for the Earl of Derby, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Lieutenant-General Sir Francis Seymour, Bart., K.C.B., Her Majesty's Master of the Ceremonies.

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*Whitehall, May 13, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Frederick, Earl Beauchamp, to be Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the County of Worcester, in the room of George William, Baron Lyttelton, deceased.

*Whitehall, May 15, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Gervaise Le Gros, Esq., to the office of Viscount of the Island of Jersey.

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*India Office, April 29, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to pass the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, nominating the Reverend Louis George Mylne, M.A., to the Bishopric of Bombay, void by the death of the Right Reverend Henry Alexander Douglas, D.D.

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*Whitehall, May 9, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Richard Henry Wood, of Tufnell Park-road, Holloway, in the parish of Islington, in the county of Middlesex, and of Bourton Hall, in the parish of Bourton-on-Dunsmore, in the county of Warwick, Gentleman. second son of Richard

Wood, late of Rugby, in the said county of Warwick, Gentleman, by Elizabeth, his wife, sister of Charles Blencowe Shuckburgh (formerly Charles Blencowe), late of Bourton Hall aforesaid, Clerk, all deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a proviso contained in the last will and testament of his maternal uncle, the said Charles Blencowe Shuckburgh, take and bear the surname of Shuckburgh, instead of his present surname of Wood, and that he and they may bear and use the arms of Shuckburgh ; such arms being first exemplified according to the laws of arms and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect :

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's said College of Arms.

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*Admiralty, 12th May, 1876.*

The undermentioned Officer has this day been promoted to the rank of Fleet Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet, with the seniority stated against his name :—

William Hogarth Adam, Esq., seniority 2nd May, 1876.

*Admiralty, 15th May, 1876.*

Assistant-Paymaster Charles William Cole has this day been promoted to the rank of Paymaster in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 13th May, 1876.

On the successful termination of the voyage of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales to India

and back, the following promotions have this day been made, viz. :—

Commanders :

Francis Durrant,  
Frederick George Denham Bedford,  
to be Captains in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Lieutenants :

Edward Grey Hulton,  
William Frederick Stanley Mann,  
to be Commanders in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Sub-Lieutenant His Serene Highness Prince Louis of Battenberg to be Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Navigating Sub-Lieutenant John Davis Moulton to be Navigating Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Surgeon Henry Charles Woods, M.D., to be Staff Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Assistant-Paymaster James Lewis Kirkness to be Paymaster in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Engineers :

Reginald Charles Oldknow,  
William Kelly,  
to be Chief Engineers in Her Majesty's Fleet.

*Admiralty, 15th May, 1876.*

*Royal Marines.*

In the announcement of promotions which appeared in the Gazette of the 12th May, 1876, for Royal Marines, read Royal Marine *Artillery*.

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*War Office, Pall Mall,*

*16th May, 1876.*

*2nd Regiment of Life Guards, Lieutenant Anthony Charles Sykes Abdy, from the 7th*

Dragoon Guards, to be Lieutenant, vice Sir G. D. Clark, resigned. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Lieutenant Richard Henry Towneley retires from the Service, receiving the value of a Cornetcy and Sub-Lieutenancy. Dated 17th May, 1876.

Quartermaster Anthony Scarisbrick retires upon half-pay. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*1st Dragoon Guards*, Riding-Master Roland Dance resigns his Commission. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*7th Dragoon Guards*, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Harnett, from the 11th Hussars, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice J. Peyton, retired. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*1st Dragoons*, Sub-Lieutenant William Fitzgerald O'Shaughnessy, from the 6th Dragoon Guards, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant C. R. Tennant, promoted. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*5th Lancers*, Lieutenant Edward Hugh Robert Crofton resigns his Commission. Dated 17th March, 1876.

*8th Hussars*, Sub-Lieutenant Herbert Thellusson resigns his Commission. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*10th Hussars*, Lieutenant Charles William Francis, Viscount Campden, retires from the Service, receiving the value of a Cornetcy. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*11th Hussars*, Captain and Brevet-Major Albert Peel Garnett to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel E. Harnett, promoted in the 7th Dragoon Guards. Dated 17th May, 1876.

Lieutenant John Donald Hamill Stewart to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major A. P. Garnett. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*12th Lancers*, Lieutenant Edward Coope Fulcher, from the 52nd Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice F. D. Tagart, transferred to the 18th Hussars. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*Scots Fusilier Guards*, Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel the Honourable Charles William White retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*3rd Foot*, The promotion of Captain J. Blaksley and Lieutenant A. T. Leslie in succession to Major W. A. Daubeny, retired, dated 26th February, 1876, is cancelled.

Captain John Blaksley to be Major, vice W. Ker, deceased. Dated 6th December, 1875.

Captain Felix Thomas Jones to be Major, vice W. A. Daubeny, retired. Dated 26th February, 1876.

Lieutenant Arthur Trevor Leslie, to be Captain, vice J. Blaksley. Dated 6th December, 1875.

*9th Foot*, Major William Crosby Harvey retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*11th Foot*, Captain William Hamilton Marriott, from the 36th Foot, to be Captain, vice E. R. M. Baskerville, who exchanges. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*14th Foot*, Lieutenant Charles Steward Gordon to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant H. L. Woodland, who resigns that appointment. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*15th Foot*, Captain Charles Keir Farquharson retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 17th May, 1876.

Captain Howard Parker, from half-pay, late 100th Foot, to be Captain, vice F. W. Cary, made Supernumerary whilst holding the Adjutancy

of the 3rd Stafford Militia. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*20th Foot*, Captain John McNamee retires upon full-pay. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*23rd Foot*, The restoration to full-pay of Captain Alexander Frederick Stewart, from half-pay, late 36th Foot, dated 19th January, 1876, is cancelled.

Sub-Lieutenant John O'Hara resigns his Commission. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*26th Foot*, Major Edward Archibald Collins to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel F. A. Willis, C.B., retired on half-pay. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

Captain and Brevet Major George Edmund Phipps Trent to be Major, vice E. A. Collins. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

Lieutenant William Blakeway Burton, from the Supernumerary List, to be Captain, vice Brevet Major G. E. P. Trent. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*32nd Foot*, Lieutenant Edward Maxwell Glegg retires from the Service, receiving the value of an Ensigncy. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*34th Foot*, Sub-Lieutenant Arthur Dillon Denis Kelly to be Lieutenant. Dated 6th December, 1873, but his Lieutenancy in the Army to bear date 12th November, 1873.

Sub-Lieutenant Langley Frederick Vernon Tudor resigns his Commission. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*35th Foot*, Captain James John Osmer, from the 36th Foot, to be Captain, vice R. Parsons, who exchanges. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*36th Foot*, Captain Richard Parsons, from the 35th Foot, to be Captain, vice J. J. Osmer, who exchanges. Dated 17th May, 1876.



Captain Edward Reginald Mynors Baskerville, from the 11th Foot, to be Captain, vice W. H. Marriott, who exchanges. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*37th Foot*, The restoration to full-pay of Captain Cortlandt G. Maegregor, from half-pay, late 35th Foot, dated 19th April, 1876, is cancelled.

*45th Foot*, The appointment as Adjutant of Lieutenant G. A. Jones to be antedated to the 4th August, 1875.

*49th Foot*, Lieutenant Arthur Courtenay Woollcombe Boyce resigns his Commission. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*57th Foot*, Captain William Gillmor retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Captain Robert Knapp Barrow retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*65th Foot*, Major Frederiek Stansfield Herries retires upon full-pay. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*93rd Foot*, Lieutenant John Archibald MacVicar to be Captain, vice G. Forbes-Robertson, made Supernumerary on being appointed Adjutant of the 1st Administrative Battalion Kincardineshire Rifle Volunteers. Dated 8th March, 1876.

*102nd Foot*, Lieutenant Frederick Louis Charles Thomas, from the 25th Foot, to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*Unattached List*, Courtney Vor Trower, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 17th May, 1876.

Frederiek Edward Verney Taylor, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 17th May, 1876.

Edward Frankland Gosset, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 17th May, 1876.

Stephen James Melville Jopp, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 17th May, 1876.

Seymour Charles Hale Monro, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 17th May, 1876.

Arthur Thomas Swaine, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 17th May, 1876.

George Backhouse Sandham, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*Medical Department*, Surgeon - Major Joseph William Carter Neynoe Murphy retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 25th March, 1876.

Surgeon Robert Batho to be Surgeon-Major. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Surgeon William Ironside, M.D., to be Surgeon-Major. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Surgeon Francis Patrick Staples to be Surgeon-Major. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Surgeon William Hill Climo, M.D., to be Surgeon-Major. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Surgeon William James Wilson, M.D., to be Surgeon-Major. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Surgeon Alfred Frederick Stafford Clarke, M.D., to be Surgeon-Major. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Surgeon Augustus Robinson Hall to be Surgeon-Major. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Surgeon Edward Footner, M.B., to be Surgeon-Major. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*Army Hospital Corps*, Colour-Sergeant William McKay to be Lieutenant of Orderlies. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Sergeant Francis Tighe to be Lieutenant of Orderlies. Dated 1st April, 1876.

Sergeant Harry Graham to be Lieutenant of Orderlies. Dated 1st April, 1876.

*Veterinary Department*, Staff Veterinary-Surgeon William Thacker retires upon half-pay. Dated 17th May, 1876.

## BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel Sylvester W. F. M. Wilson, 18th Foot, having completed the qualifying service, to be Colonel. Dated 22nd April, 1876.

Captain and Brevet-Major Edmund Brighthouse Snow, retired, Royal Marine Light Infantry, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 15th April, 1876.

Major Frederick Stansfield Herries, 65th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel upon retiring on full-pay. Dated 17th May, 1876.

Captain Howard Parker, 15th Foot, to be Major. Dated 16th April, 1875.

The promotion to the rank of Major of Captain Alexander Frederick Stewart, 23rd Foot, dated 5th July, 1872, which was notified in the Gazette of the 8th February, 1876, is cancelled.

Captain John McNamee, 20th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Major, upon retiring upon full-pay. Dated 17th May, 1876.

Quartermaster Anthony Scarisbrick, 2nd Life Guards, to have the honorary rank of Captain, on retiring upon half-pay. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.*

Cornelius Nicholson, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 5th May, 1876.

Hugh Beauchamp Halswell, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 5th May, 1876.

James Johnston, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 5th May, 1876.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Bristol.*

Edward Stafford Howard, Esq., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 11th May, 1876.

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## EXCHEQUER BILLS.

THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice to the holders of Exchequer Bills issued under the authority of the Act 29 Vict., cap. 25, and dated the 11th June, 1871, that the interest thereon for the half-year ending on the 11th June, 1876, will be payable at the Bank of England on and after the 12th day of June, 1876.

The said Exchequer Bills, dated the 11th June, 1871, will be paid off, either in New Bills or in money, on the 12th June, 1876, when the interest will cease. Such Bills will be received at the Bank of England daily from ten till two o'clock,

UNTIL THE 5TH DAY OF JUNE, 1876,  
INCLUSIVE.

Printed forms, containing instructions for the preparation of the Lists and the arrangement of the Bills, may be obtained on application at the Chief Cashier's Office, Bank of England.

The holders must insert their names and addresses in each List; but where the names of holders are inserted in the body of the Bills, the indorsements of such holders must be obtained previously to their Lists and Bills being left for examination.

New Bills, prepared in accordance with the

provisions of the Act 29 Vict., cap. 25, dated the 11th day of June, 1876, may be obtained in payment of the principal of the whole, or part, of the Exchequer Bills advertised for payment, on the claimants specifying in their Lists the amount of New Bills required by them.

The interest of the said New Bills will be payable by coupons, half-yearly, on the 11th December and 11th June, at the Bank of England. The rate of interest will be advertised from time to time in the London Gazette. Such rate for the half-year to the 11th day of December, 1876, will be Two pounds Ten shillings per cent. per annum.

The Bills will be current from year to year, for a period of five years, commencing on the 11th June, 1876, at the option of the holders; and they will be payable for duties, aids, and taxes, at any time during the last six months of every year, viz., between the 11th December, in each year, and the 11th June following.

The New Bills in payment of the Bills left on or before the said 5th day of June for Exchange, will be issued **ON THE 12TH DAY of JUNE, 1876**, when the claimants must attend at the Bank of England to sign receipts for the payment of Principal.

Notice will be given yearly of the days on which holders of the New Exchequer Bills who may be desirous of being paid the principal moneys must send their Bills to the Bank of England for examination and payment.

Payment, in money, may be obtained at the Bank of England after the said 12th day of June next for any Exchequer Bills hereby advertised, and which may not be brought in for exchange or payment, as above, upon the claimants leaving the Bills for examination three days prior

to that on which such payment is desired, between the hours of Ten and Two.

Treasury Chambers, Whitehall,  
May 16, 1876.

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*Treasury Chambers, May 15, 1876.*

The First Commissioner of Works, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby gives notice that the following situations are added to Schedule B of the Order in Council of the 4th June, 1870, viz.:—

The situations of Gatekeeper and of Constable in the Royal Gardens, Kew.

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FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 19,*  
1876.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, May 18, 1876.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be open to the public on and after Thursday next, the 25th instant, until further orders.

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At the Court at *Windsor*, the 17th day of  
*May*, 1876.

THE Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to appoint John Simon, Esquire, C.B., F.R.S., and Thomas Pridgin Teale, Esquire, F.R.C.S., to be for five years from the 23rd of

May, 1876, Members of the General Council of Medical Education and Registration in the United Kingdom, in the places of Dr. Sharpey, resigned, and Dr. Parkes, deceased.

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*War Office, May 17, 1876.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of the Right Honourable Sir Henry Bartle Edward Frere, G.C.S.I., K.C.B., to be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the First Class, or Knights Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath; and Charles, Lord Suffield, of the Household of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, to be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the said Most Honourable Order.

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*Whitehall, May 19, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the Right Honourable Sir Henry Bartle Edward Frere, of Wimbledon, in the county of Surrey, G.C.B., G.C.S.I., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten.

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*St. James's Palace, May 18, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Reverend William Harrison, M.A., Minor Canon of Westminster and Honorary Priest in Ordinary to Her Majesty's Chapels Royal, to be Priest in Ordinary to Her Majesty's Chapels Royal, in the room of the Reverend James William Vivian, D.D., deceased.



*Downing Street, May 18, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint J. Thomas Fitzgerald Callaghan, Esq., to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Her Majesty's Settlements in the Falkland Islands and their Dependencies.

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*Whitehall, May 8, 1876.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to grant to Roger Pocklington, of Hagnaby Priory, in the parish of Hagnaby, and county of Lincoln, Esq., and Marion-Catharine, his wife, the only surviving child and heir of the late Thomas Coltman, of Hagnaby Priory aforesaid, Esq., deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that they and the issue of their marriage may take and use the surname of Coltman in addition to and after that of Pocklington :

And further to direct that Her said Royal licence be duly recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said licence to be void and of none effect.

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*Admiralty, 18th May, 1876.*

Mr. James Jessop has been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 11th instant.

*Admiralty, 18th May, 1876.*

*Royal Naval Artillery Volunteers.  
Liverpool Brigade.*

Robert Carr Lambert, Esq., to be Lieutenant Commanding. Dated 1<sup>st</sup> May, 1876.

*War Office, Pall Mall,*

*19th May, 1876.*

*Brigade Dépôt*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel William Lyons, from half-pay, late 5th West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 20th May, 1876.

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*War Office, 19th May, 1876.*

### MILITIA.

#### *Royal Berks.*

Lieutenant Francis Eyston to be Captain. Dated 20th May, 1876.

#### *West Essex.*

Lieutenant Bendyshe William Ellys Walton to be Captain. Dated 20th May, 1876.

#### *East Kent.*

Captain Renton George Felix Poynter resigns his Commission. Dated 24th April, 1876.

Lieutenant Charles Carter Petley to be Captain. Dated 1st May, 1876.

#### *4th Royal Lancashire.*

Edward Joseph Nicholson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 9th May, 1876.

#### *5th Royal Lancashire.*

Sub-Lieutenant Herbert Wason Major resigns his Commission. Dated 20th May, 1876.

#### *4th or Royal South Middlesex.*

Captain and Honorary Major William Elias Taunton resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 20th May, 1876.

*Royal Elthorne, or 5th Middlesex.*

Surgeon Thomas Parr resigns his Commission.  
Dated 20th May, 1876.

Assistant-Surgeon Charles Gore Ring resigns his  
Commission. Dated 20th May, 1876.

*2nd or East Norfolk Militia.*

The services of Sub-Lieutenant George Walter  
Basevi are dispensed with. Dated 20th May,  
1876.

*The Prince of Wales' Own Norfolk Artillery.*

Thomas Leigh Hare, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant  
(Supernumerary). Dated 20th May, 1876.

*Northampton and Rutland.*

Sub-Lieutenant Robert Hunt resigns his Com-  
mission. Dated 20th May, 1876.

*Nottingham, or Royal Sherwood Foresters.*

Lieutenant Benjamin Wentworth Darley resigns  
his Commission. Dated 20th May, 1876.

*The 3rd (King's Own) Stafford.*

Lieutenant James Edwards resigns his Commis-  
sion. Dated 20th May, 1876.

*3rd Royal Surrey.*

Sub-Lieutenant Alexander Macintosh Horrocks  
to be Lieutenant. Dated 31st December, 1873.

*Royal Sussex.*

Edmund Alexander Baillie, Gent., to be Sub-  
Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 20th May.  
1876.

*1st Warwick.*

William Dalrymple Strachan, Gent., to be Sub-  
Lieutenant. Dated 20th May, 1876.  
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*Yorkshire Artillery.*

Benjamin Booth Haworth-Booth, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 20th May, 1876.

*1st West York.*

Lieutenant Thomas Ernest Boyd Broadbent resigns his Commission. Dated 20th May, 1876.

*1st Royal Lanark.*

William Murray, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 15th May, 1876.

*2nd Royal Lanark.*

David John Alexander Dickson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 20th May, 1876.

*Renfrew.*

Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Robert John Millikin Napier, Bart., is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 20th May, 1876.

*Clare.*

Walter Blake Butler, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 15th May, 1876.

*Kilkenny.*

Eugene Robert Shine, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 8th May, 1876.

*Limerick City Artillery.*

Tyrell Other William Champion de Crespigny, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 20th May, 1876.

*Royal Meath.*

Lieutenant Sinclair Ellis de Satgé-de Thoren to be Captain. Dated 20th May, 1876.  
Sub-Lieutenant William Ernest Albert Barry to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1874.

*Sligo.*

Sub-Lieutenant Alexander Arbuthnot Barker resigns his Commission. Dated 20th May, 1876.

*North Tipperary.*

Assistant-Surgeon Robert Francis Russell resigns his Commission. Dated 20th May, 1876.

*Royal Tyrone Fusiliers.*

Arthur Richard Cole Hamilton, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 5th May, 1876.

## YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

*Hampshire.*

Reginald Jervis Hargreaves, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 20th May, 1876.

*Royal East Kent.*

Charles Carrington Churchward, Esq., late Captain, 16th Lancers, to be Lieutenant. Dated 11th May, 1876.

*North Somerset.*

Sub-Lieutenant Alexander Ellis Ford to be Captain. Dated 20th May, 1876.

*Staffordshire.*

Captain Henry Anson, Lord Waterpark resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 20th May, 1876.

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*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Northumberland.*

Sir Arthur Edward Middleton, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 5th May, 1876.

FROM THE  
 SUPPLEMENT  
 TO THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 19,*  
 1876.

*Whitehall, May 20, 1876.*

ON Saturday, the 20th instant, at 11·30 A.M., died at Cumberland Lodge, Windsor Park, the Infant Son of Their Royal Highnesses The Prince and Princess Christian of Schleswig-Holstein, to the great grief of Her Majesty, and of the Royal Family.

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FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 23,*  
 1876.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, May 20, 1876.*

ORDERS for the Court's going into Mourning on Tuesday next, the 23rd instant, for His late Highness The Prince Frederick Christian Augustus Leopold Edward Harold, Infant Son of His Royal Highness The Prince Christian of Schleswig-Holstein and of Her Royal Highness The Princess Christian of Schleswig-Holstein (Princess Helena of Great Britain and Ireland), and Grandson of Her Majesty The Queen; viz.:—

The Ladies to wear black Dresses, white

Gloves, black or white Shoes, Feathers, and Fans, Pearls, Diamonds, or plain gold or silver Ornaments.

The Gentlemen to wear black Court Dress, with black Swords and Buckles.

The Court to change the Mourning on Friday next, the 26th instant ; viz. : —

The Ladies to wear black Dresses, with coloured Ribbons, Flowers, Feathers, and Ornaments, or grey or white Dresses, with black Ribbons, Flowers, Feathers, and Ornaments.

The Gentlemen to continue the same Mourning.

And on Monday, the 29th instant, the Court to go out of Mourning.

*Foreign Office, May 23, 1876.*

IT is hereby notified, that the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty having received a Despatch from Commodore Sir W. Hewett, the Officer in command of Her Majesty's Naval Forces on the West Coast of Africa, containing a declaration that on and after the 1st of June next, that portion of the sea coast of the Kingdom of Dahomey comprised between the longitude of  $1^{\circ} 32' W.$ , and the longitude of  $2^{\circ} 35' E.$ , including the ports of Porto Seguro, Little Popo, Aghwey, Great Popo, Whydah, Godomy or Jackin, and Cutanee or Appi Vista would be placed in a state of blockade, Her Majesty's Government have given orders to the said Sir W. Hewett and the Officers under his command that no blockade of the said coasts, or of any part thereof, shall be established till after the 30th day of June next.



At the Court at *Windsor*, the 17th day of  
*May*, 1876.

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order and declare that from and after the publication hereof in the London Gazette, seamen, not being slaves, and not being British subjects, who within Her Majesty's dominions, desert from merchants ships belonging to the Regency of Tunis, shall be liable to be apprehended and carried on board their respective ships :

Provided always, that if any such deserter has committed any crime in Her Majesty's dominions he may be detained until he has been tried by a competent court, and until his sentence (if any) has been fully carried into effect.

And the Secretaries of State for India in Council, the Home Department, and the Colonies are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

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At the Court at *Windsor*, the 17th day of  
*May*, 1876.

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order and declare that from and after the publication hereof in the London Gazette, seamen, not being slaves, and not being British subjects, who within Her Majesty's dominions, desert from merchant ships belonging to the Empire of Brazil shall be liable to be apprehended and carried on board their respective ships.

Provided always, that if any such deserter has committed any crime in Her Majesty's dominions he may be detained until he has been tried by a

competent court, and until his sentence (if any) has been fully carried into effect.

And the Secretaries of State for India in Council, the Home Department, and the Colonies, are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

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*Whitehall, May 17, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Arthur Henry Holland, of Munden House, in the parish of Watford, in the county of Hertford, Esquire, second son of Sir Henry Thurston Holland, of Rutland Gate, in the county of Middlesex, Baronet, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George, by Elizabeth Margaret, his late wife, daughter of Nathaniel Hibbert, late of Munden House aforesaid, Esquire, all deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a proviso contained in the last will and testament of his maternal grandmother, Emily Hibbert, of Munden House aforesaid, and of Green-street, Grosvenor-square, in the county of Middlesex, Widow of the said Nathaniel Hibbert, deceased, take and henceforth use the surname of Hibbert, in addition to and after that of Holland, and that he and they may bear the arms of Hibbert quarterly with those of Holland; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's said College of Arms.

(H. 4013.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, May 21, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Lisbon, stating that the port of Para has been declared infected with, and the other ports of that Province suspected of, yellow fever since the 9th April last.

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*Admiralty, May 22, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of the 1st August, 1860, 9th July, 1864, and 24th March, 1866, the undermentioned Officer having attained fifteen years' seniority as Commander, has been allowed to assume the rank and title of Retired Captain from the 15th instant:—

Commander John Guy Courtenay Evered.

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*War Office, Pall Mall,  
23rd May, 1876.*

*Royal Engineers*, Lieutenant-Colonel Amelius Beauchamp Fyers, from the Seconded List, is placed upon the Permanent Reserve List. Dated 13th February, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas George Montgomerie (late Bengal), retires upon a pension. Dated 10th March, 1876.

Major Raoul de Bourbel (late Bengal), upon the Seconded List, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 10th March, 1876.

Major Frederick Smith Stanton (late Bengal), to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice T. G. Montgomerie. Dated 10th March, 1876.

Captain John Herschel (late Bengal), to be Major, vice F. S. Stanton. Dated 10th March, 1876.  
 The promotion to Captain of Lieutenant Lothian Kerr Scott, as notified in the Gazette of 9th instant, to be antedated to 10th March, 1876.  
 Lieutenant Thomas English to be Captain, vice A. Parnell, promoted. Dated 1st April, 1876.  
 Lieutenant William Harold Chippindall, from the Temporary Reserve List, to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th April, 1876.

### BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas George Montgomerie, Royal (late Bengal) Engineers, to have the honorary rank of Colonel on retiring upon a pension. Dated 10th March, 1876.



FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 26,*  
 1876.

*Whitehall, May 26, 1876.*

### MEMORANDUM.

WITH reference to the announcement of the death of the Infant Son of Their Royal Highnesses The Prince and Princess Christian of Schleswig-Holstein in the Supplement to the London Gazette of Friday, the 19th instant, published on Monday last, The Secretary of State for the Home Department has, by Her Majesty's command, been directed to notify that the death of the Infant Prince occurred at 7.30 A.M., and not 11.30 A.M., as previously announced.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 17th day of  
*May*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased, on a representation of the Lords of the Committee of Council on Education, to appoint —

Osmund Airy, Esquire, M.A., Trinity College,  
Cambridge,

Arthur Edwin Bernays, Esquire, B.A., Keble  
College, Oxford,

Almeric William FitzRoy, Esquire, B.A.,  
Balliol College, Oxford,

Thomas Smith Gleadowe, Esquire, B.A., Mag-  
dalen College, Cambridge,

Thomas Whitcombe Greene, Esq., B.C.L., Mag-  
dalen College, Oxford,

Heneage Egerton Brydges Harrison, Esquire,  
B.A., Oriel College, Oxford,

Edward Stisted Mostyn Pryce, Esquire, B.A.,  
Balliol College, Oxford,

Robert Montagu Tabor, Esquire, M.A. and  
LL.M., King's College, Cambridge,

Ernest Newton Wix, Esquire, B.A., King's  
College, Cambridge, and

Lawrence Henry Orde Woodd, Esquire, B.A.,  
Magdalen College, Oxford,

to be ten of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools.

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At the Court at *Windsor*, the 17th day of  
*May*, 1876.

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order that so much of the Order in Council of the 5th February, 1876, made in pursuance of the Judicature Act, 1875, as limits

the duration of the arrangements therein contained as to circuits and as to sessions holden under commissions for the discharge of civil and criminal business in the county of Surrey is hereby revoked, and the said arrangements shall continue to operate until modified or revoked by any Order in Council hereafter to be made.

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*Colonial Office, Downing Street,  
May 26, 1876.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to make the following appointments to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George :

To be an Ordinary Member of the First Class, or Knights Grand Cross of the said Order :—

The Right Honourable the Earl of Dufferin,  
K.P., K.C.B., Governor-General of the  
Dominion of Canada.

To be an Ordinary Member of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Order :—

Colonel Archibald Edward Harbord Anson,  
R.A., Lieutenant-Governor of the Island of  
Penang.

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*Foreign Office, May 22, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Freudenberg as Consul for Western Ceylon, to reside at Colombo; of Mr. Thomas W. Williams as Consul for the Bahama Islands, to reside at Nassau, New Providence; and of Mr. Edward F. Bird as Vice-Consul at Gloucester for the German Empire.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Gerhard Myburg as Consul at Cape Town

for His Majesty the King of Denmark ; of Mr. J. L. van der Spar as Consul at Point de Galle for His Majesty the King of the Netherlands ; of Mr. Benjamin H. Barrows as Consul in Dublin for the United States of America ; of Mr. Harold Smith as Consul at Kingston-upon-Hull for the Argentine Republic ; and of Don John K. Evens as Vice-Consul at Brighton for the Republic of Peru.

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*Downing Street, May 24, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Frederick Purefoy Hoare, Esq., to be Auditor-General of the Island of Malta.

*Downing Street, May 25, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint John Gorrie, Esq., to be Chief Justice for the Colony of Fiji.

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(S. & C. 1201.)

*Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall,  
May 25, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Portuguese Law, dated the 10th ultimo, empowering the Government to permit the free importation into Portugal of any materials and machinery that may be required for the construction of the bridges which form part of the roads of the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd classes, in accordance with the plans which have been approved by the Government and subject to the regulations which may be issued for the execution of the Law. The Board of Trade have also received a copy of a further Law, dated the 12th ultimo, empowering



the Government, for the space of five years, to accord to Companies willing to establish blast furnaces, the free importation into Portugal of the materials required for the construction, maintenance, and working of such furnaces and the workshops appertaining thereto, such as firebricks, wrought iron, and machinery.

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*Admiralty, 25th May, 1876.*

Acting Lieutenant William Cossley Atherton to be Lieutenant, with seniority from the 28th April, 1876, having passed the necessary examination at the Royal Naval College.

*Admiralty, 26th May, 1876.*

Captain His Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh, K.G., has been this day appointed personal Naval Aide-de-Camp to the Queen.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Paymaster Timothy T. Jennings has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

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*War Office, Pall Mall.*

*26th May, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint His Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland, K.G. (His Majesty King George of Hanover), to be a General in the Army. Dated 27th May, 1876. And

His Royal Highness Prince Ernest Augustus William Adolphus George Frederick of Cumberland (Crown Prince Ernest Augustus of Hanover) to be a Colonel in the Army. Dated 27th May, 1876.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the  
County of Lincoln.*

Ernest Richard Charles Cust, Esq., to be Deputy  
Lieutenant. Dated 22nd May, 1876.

Nouaille Rudge, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.  
Dated 22nd May, 1876.

Samuel Wright Wright, Esq., to be Deputy Lieuten-  
tenant. Dated 22nd May, 1876.

Thomas Booth, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.  
Dated 22nd May, 1876.

Coningsby Charles Sibthorp, Esq., to be Deputy  
Lieutenant. Dated 22nd May, 1876.

Montagu Richard Waldo Sibthorp, Esq., to be  
Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd May, 1876.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the  
County of Sussex.*

Francis Barchard, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.  
Dated 17th May, 1876.



FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE* of MAY 30,  
1876.

(H. 4106.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, May 29, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through  
the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy  
of a Note from the Danish Minister at this Court,  
enclosing a translation of a Law modifying the

Icelandic Ordinance of the 12th of February, 1872, relative to fishing boats.

The following is a copy of the Law in question:—

WE, Christian the Ninth, by the Grace of God King of Denmark, the Vandals and the Goths, Duke of Slesvig, Holstein, Stormarn, Ditmarsken, Laucnburgh, and Oldenburgh, do make known :

The Althing has voted and we have by our consent confirmed the following Law :—

ART. 1. When a foreign fishing ship enters any harbour of Iceland for refuge, and the crew wishes or wants to communicate with the inhabitants, the master of the ship ought, within twenty-four hours of having dropped her anchor, to give notice thereof to the master of the police or the Repstyrer whom it concerns, who ought then to examine the ship's papers, and to see that the laws on the commerce and taxes of the country be not infringed nor eluded by the crew of such vessels, and, if found necessary, to make without delay researches in this respect.

For the examination of the ship's papers are to be paid to the master of the police or Repstyrer—in case the vessel has not already, during the same fishing expedition, visited an Icelandic harbour where she has had her papers examined—10 ore per ton of the burden of the vessel ; in the opposite case 5 ore per ton ; whereupon the muster-roll of the vessel ought to be provided with a visa that such examination has taken place, and the duties prescribed have been paid.

The duties, in such cases where the examination has been made by the Repstyrer on behalf of the master of the police, are to be equally divided between him and the master of the police.

If a foreign vessel runs into a harbour in search

of medical assistance against any disease broken out among the crew, the laws of quarantine should be applied.

If any foreign fishing vessel, because of ice or tempestuous weather, is compelled to enter a harbour without any of the crew going on shore or having any communication with the inhabitants, it shall not be necessary to have the ship's papers examined, even if the said vessel remains at anchor until she can run out again without danger.

ART. 2. Any infraction of the regulations of this Law is subject to penalties of from 10 to 200 kroner, according to circumstances.

ART. 3. The present Law is to replace Art. 3 of the Ordinance concerning the fishing of foreigners under Iceland, &c., of the 12th of February, 1872, which article is hereby repealed.

Whereto all whom it concerns have to conform.

Done at Amalienborg on the 17th of December, 1875.

Under our Royal hand and seal,

(L.S.)

CHRISTIAN, R.

J. NELLEMANN.

*Admiralty, 29th May, 1876.*

*Royal Marines.*

The undermentioned promotion has taken place in the Royal Marine Light Infantry, viz. :—

Lieutenant and Adjutant Henry Seton Bouchier to be Captain, vice Captain and Brevet Major William Addis Delacombe, retired at his own request under the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, and 5th February, 1872. Dated 20th May, 1876.

*War Office, Pall Mall,*

*30th May, 1876.*

*1st Regiment of Dragoon Guards*, Lieutenant Francis James Walker resigns his Commission. Dated 31st May, 1876.

*3rd Dragoon Guards*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel James Robert Steadman Sayer, C.B., retires upon half-pay. Dated 31st May, 1876.

*5th Dragoon Guards*, Serjeant-Major Andrew Baldrey, from the 4th Dragoon Guards, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant Dundas, transferred to the 11th Hussars. Dated 31st May, 1876.

*10th Hussars*, Lieutenant-Colonel the Honourable Caryl Craven Molyneux retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 31st May, 1876.

*18th Hussars*, Captain and Brevet Major William Lawrence Twentyman retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 31st May, 1876.

*Royal Artillery*, The following Veterinary Surgeons on Probation to be Veterinary Surgeons :—

James Mills, vice P. Moir, resigned. Dated 23rd June, 1875.

Thomas Flintoff, vice Veterinary Surgeon, First Class, R. Poyser, transferred to the 6th Dragoon Guards. Dated 23rd June, 1875.

*Scots Fusilier Guards*, Lieutenant and Captain Barrington Bulkley Douglas Campbell to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, vice the Honourable C. W. White, retired. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*3rd Foot*, Lieutenant Robert Albert Hickson to be Captain, vice F. T. Jones, promoted. Dated 26th February, 1876.

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*8th Foot*, Captain William Hugh Thomas, from half-pay, late 49th Foot, to be Captain, vice Brevet Major R. Whitting, made Supernumerary whilst serving as Adjutant, 2nd Royal Lancashire Militia. Dated 31st May, 1876.

Captain William Hugh Thomas, about to be appointed to the Militia, retires upon half-pay. Dated 31st May, 1876.

*9th Foot*, Captain and Brevet Major Henry Collingwood Vibart to be Major, vice W. C. Harvey, retired. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*15th Foot*, Lieutenant Henry Hoyle Oddie to be Captain, vice C. K. Farquharson, retired. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*17th Foot*, Quartermaster Richard Storey retires upon half-pay. Dated 31st May, 1876.

*20th Foot*, Lieutenant Philip Albert Robinson to be Captain, vice J. McNamee, retired upon full-pay. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*23rd Foot*, Captain A. H. Ringland Ferguson, from half-pay, late 106th Foot, to be Captain, vice A. F. Stewart, whose restoration to full-pay, from half-pay, late 36th Foot, dated 19th January, 1876, has been cancelled. Dated 31st May, 1876.

*37th Foot*, Captain Harry Golding, from half-pay, late 69th Foot, to be Captain, vice C. G. Macgregor, whose restoration to full-pay, from half-pay, late 35th Foot, dated 19th April, 1876, has been cancelled. Dated 31st May, 1876.

*38th Foot*, Captain Alfred Stokes retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 31st May, 1876.

*43rd Foot*, Captain William Horace Wilson, from 87th Foot, to be Captain, vice A. C. French, who exchanges. Dated 31st May, 1876.

- 45th Foot*, Sub-Lieutenant Henry Arthur Little-  
dale, from the 43rd Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant,  
in suecession to Lieutenant H. M. Mason, a  
Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated  
31st May, 1876.
- 46th Foot*, Lientenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel  
Charles Parker Catty, retires upon full-pay.  
Dated 31st May, 1876.
- 48th Foot*, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel  
John Richard Lovett retires upon full-pay.  
Dated 31st May, 1876.
- 49th Foot*, Lieutenant Justinian Gordon Ponsonby,  
who has eeased to be a Probationer for the  
Indian Staff Corps, from the Supernumerary  
List, to be Lieutenant, vice A. C. W. Boyce,  
resigned. Dated 31st May, 1876.
- 57th Foot*, Captain Ederie Frederick, Lord Gifford,  
V.C., from half-pay, late 24th Foot, to be  
Captain, vice R. K. Barrow, retired on tempo-  
rary half-pay. Dated 31st May, 1876.
- 61st Foot*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel  
Alexander William Gordon retires upon full-  
pay. Dated 31st May, 1876.
- 65th Foot*, Captain Lionel Smith Warren to be  
Major, vice F. S. Herries, retired on full-pay.  
Dated 17th May, 1876.
- Lieutenant Charles Augustus Fillingham to be  
Captain, vice L. S. Warren. Dated 17th May,  
1876.
- 68th Foot*, Major James Spratt retires upon full-  
pay. Dated 31st May, 1876.
- 72nd Foot*, Lieutenant John George Downing,  
from the 13th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice T. S.  
Gildea, promoted. Dated 31st May, 1876.
- 80th Foot*, Quartermaster-Serjeant Thomas Griffin,



from the 15th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice Lord Frederick FitzGerald, transferred to the 60th Foot. Dated 31st May, 1876.

87th Foot, Captain Alfred Crofton French, from the 43rd Foot, to be Captain, vice W. H. Wilson, who exchanges. Dated 31st May, 1876.

89th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant James Douglas Standen, from the 13th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant H. Caddell, promoted. Dated 31st May, 1876.

*Unattached List*, The undermentioned Gentleman to be Sub-Lieutenants. Dated 31st May, 1876 :—

Edward John Sharpe.

John Marcus Clements.

Arthur Robert Hume.

Alexander Hepburne Barrington Cavaye.

The Honourable Charles Lambton.

*Medical Department*, Deputy Surgeon-General Richard Coffin Elliot, C.B., to be Surgeon-General, vice John Drope McIlrce, retired upon half-pay. Dated 28th February, 1876.

Surgeon-Major Michael Fenton Manifold to be Deputy Surgeon-General, vice Richard Coffin Elliot, C.B., promoted. Dated 28th February, 1876.

Surgeon-Major Alexander Edward Bartlet is placed upon temporary half-pay. Dated 29th April, 1876.

Surgeon-Major Andrew Knox Rickards retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

*To be Surgeons-Major.*

Surgeon Alexander Jennings, M.D., African Medical Staff. Dated 28th April, 1876.

Surgeon Frank Simpson, African Medical Staff.  
Dated 28th April, 1876.

Surgeon John Dustan. Dated 28th April, 1876.

Surgeon Acheson George Bartley, M.D. Dated  
28th April, 1876.

Surgeon Henry Frank Hensman. Dated 28th  
April, 1876.

Surgeon John Barlow Hannah, M.D. Dated 28th  
April, 1876.

Surgeon Richard Patrick Ferguson. Dated 28th  
April, 1876.

Surgeon Alexander Ferrier Churchill, M.D.  
Dated 28th April, 1876.

Surgeon John Stannard McAdam. Dated 28th  
April, 1876.

Surgeon Edward Nicholson. Dated 28th April,  
1876.

Surgeon Alfred John Belemore. Dated 28th  
April, 1876.

Surgeon David Mackie, M.D. Dated 28th April,  
1876.

Surgeon William George Ross, M.D. Dated 28th  
April, 1876.

Surgeon Richard William Hare, M.B. Dated  
28th April, 1876.

Surgeon Charles Stratherne Close. Dated 28th  
April, 1876.

Surgeon George Nicol Irvine, M.D. Dated 28th  
April, 1876.

Surgeon William Henry Bant Clapp, M.D. Dated  
28th April, 1876.

Surgeon John Mangin Waters. Dated 28th  
April, 1876.

Surgeon Campbell Millis Douglas, M.D., V.C.  
Dated 28th April, 1876.

Surgeon John Edward Fannin. Dated 28th  
April, 1876.

- Surgeon Charles Albert Maunsell, M.D. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Joseph Lindsey Curtis. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon William Folliott. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Kenneth William Cumming, M.D. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Frederick Beaufort Scott, M.D. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Ignatius McDonogh O'Farrell. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon John Langdon. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Gough Ashton, M.B. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon William Creyk, M.B. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Alexander Brebner, M.D. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon William Nash, M.D. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon William Edmondson Dudley. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Alexander Doig. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon William West Quinton, M.B. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon William Thomas Martin, M.D. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon William John Page. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Frederick Ferguson, M.D. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Robert William Troup, M.B. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon James Forbes Beattie, M.D. Dated 28th April, 1876.

- Surgeon Alexander Thomson, M.D. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Alexander Turner, M.D. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Alexander Francis Preston, M.B. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Richard William Forsayeth. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Charles MacDonogh Cuffe. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Valesius Skipton Gouldsbury, M.D., C.M.G., African Medical Staff. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon John Alexander Shaw, M.D. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Charles Haines. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Forbes Dick, M.D. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Hopetoun Currie Collier. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Joseph Ridge Greenhill. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Hubert Rothwell Greene. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Robert Henry Bolton. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon James Barker. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon James Barry, M.D., African Medical Staff. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Charles Alfred Atkins. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon William Patrick Smith. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Christopher John Weir, M.B. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Francis Howard, M.D. Dated 28th April, 1876.

- Surgeon William Elgee. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Thomas Moriarty, M.D. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon John Wallace, M.D. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon William Jobson, M.D. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Joseph Fleming, M.D. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Warner Atkinson. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Thomas William Orwin. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Richard Charles Coleman Hickson. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Thomas Gardiner Bolster, M.D. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Heinrich Friederich Lawdetz Melladew, M.D. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon John Middleton, M.D. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon David Arthur Leslie, M.D. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Henry Skey Muir, M.D. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon John William Maxham, M.D. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Robert Hyde. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Thomas Samuel Barrow, M.D. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Michael Cogan. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Richard Turner, M.D. Dated 28th April, 1876.
- Surgeon Charles Fleetwood Churchill, M.B. Dated 28th April, 1876.

Surgeon Thomas Babington. Dated 28th April, 1876.

Surgeon John Ambrose, M.D. Dated 28th April, 1876.

Surgeon John Anderson. Dated 28th April, 1876.

Surgeon Francis Johnson, M.B. Dated 28th April, 1876.

Surgeon Alexander Minto, M.B. Dated 28th April, 1876.

Surgeon George Atkinson, M.B. Dated 28th April, 1876.

Surgeon John Gray, M.D. Dated 28th April, 1876.

Surgeon Thomas Moore Kirkwood. Dated 28th April, 1876.

Surgeon Richard William Davies. Dated 28th April, 1876.

Surgeon George Francis Dooley. Dated 28th April, 1876.

Surgeon John Nugent Stock. Dated 28th April, 1876.

*Chaplains' Department*, Chaplain of the Second Class the Reverend R. G. Codrington, B.A., retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 6th May, 1876.

Chaplain of the First Class the Reverend L. H. St. George, B.D., having attained the prescribed age, retires upon half-pay. Dated 23rd May, 1876.

*Half-Pay, late Military Store Department*, Assistant Superintendent of Stores Richard Rogers, from half-pay, to retired pay. Dated 1st April, 1876.

#### BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Charles Parker Catty, 46th Foot, to have the honorary

rank of Major-General upon retiring on full-pay. Dated 31st May, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Alexander William Gordon, 61st Foot, to have the honorary rank of Major-General upon retiring on full-pay. Dated 31st May, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel Joseph Jordan, C.B., 41st Foot, having completed the qualifying service, to be Colonel. Dated 21st January, 1876.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel John Richard Lovett, 48th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Colonel upon retiring on full-pay. Dated 31st May, 1876.

Major James Spratt, 68th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel upon retiring on full-pay. Dated 31st May, 1876.

Major Henry Le Champion, half-pay, late 101st Foot, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel upon retiring on the full-pay pension of his rank. Dated 31st May, 1876.

Captain William Thomas Much, 24th Foot, to be Major. Dated 31st May, 1876.

Quartermaster Richard Storey, 17th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Captain upon retiring on half-pay. Dated 31st May, 1876.

Surgeon-Major Henry Fowle Smith, M.D., retired upon half-pay, to have the honorary rank of Deputy Surgeon-General. Dated 24th April, 1875.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary Joseph Mole, Warrent Officer, Bengal Establishment, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, but to be junior of that rank for one year. Dated 7th November, 1874.

Apothecary Miles Craggs, Madras Medical Department, to have the honorary and local rank of Surgeon. Dated 31st May, 1876.

The first Christian name of Lieutenant-Colonel and



Brevet Colonel E. L. Scott, Bombay Staff Corps, who was granted the honorary rank of Major-General on retirement in the Gazette of the 22nd October, 1875, is *Edwin*, and not *Edward*, as therein stated.

#### MEMORANDA.

Major Henry Le Champion, half-pay, late 101st Foot, has been permitted to retire upon the full-pay pension of his rank. Dated 31st May, 1876.

Paymaster Richard Boyd, half-pay of the late Land Transport Corps, has been permitted to commute his retired allowance. Dated 2nd May, 1876.

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#### *India Office, 30th May, 1876.*

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following Promotions amongst Officers of the Staff Corps and of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces made by the Governments in India:—

#### BREVET.

##### *To be Lieutenant-Colonel.*

Major Septimus Hodson, late 2nd Madras Cavalry.  
Dated 9th September, 1875.

Captain William Hay Macnaghten, Bengal Cavalry, to be Major, in succession to Lieutenant-General F. H. Sandys, Bengal Infantry, deceased. Dated 29th December, 1874.

Captain William Sim Macleod to be Major, in succession to Lieutenant-General T. H. Shuldham, deceased. Dated 6th February, 1875.

Captain Arthur Farrer, Madras Cavalry, to be Major, in succession to Lieutenant-General H. James, Bombay Infantry, deceased. Dated 10th March, 1875.

Captain Victor Edmund Law, Madras Cavalry, to be Major, in succession to General J. Briggs, Madras Infantry, deceased. Dated 28th April, 1875.

Major William James Morris, Madras Cavalry, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, Captain Harry Cavaye Stevens, Madras Cavalry, to be Major, in succession to Major-General Sir H. B. Lumsden, K.C.S.I., C.B., Bengal Staff Corps, retired. Dated 15th September, 1875.

Major Archibald Ernest Arbuthnot, Madras Cavalry, to rank from 2nd December, 1874, in succession to Colonel (name borne on the Indian List as Major-General) R. T. Snow, deceased.

#### SUBSTANTIVE PROMOTIONS.

#### BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

##### *To be Lieutenant-Colonels.*

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Robert Chalmers. Dated 7th September, 1875.

Major William Henry Joseph Lance, Dated 18th September, 1875.

Major John Paton Martin. Dated 20th September, 1875.

Major Thomas Norris Baker. Dated 20th September, 1875.

Major Robert J. Logan Crutchley. Dated 23rd November, 1875.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Charles Nedham. Dated 4th January, 1876.

Major Henry Doveton Battye. Dated 7th January, 1876.

Major (Brevet Colonel) George Richard Westmacott. Dated 20th January, 1876.

Major William Cadogan Mitchel. Dated 21st January, 1876.

Major Melmoth Alister Douglas Orchard. Dated 21st January, 1876.

*To be Majors.*

- Captain Robert Stanwix Robertson. Dated 4th February, 1874.
- Captain Charles Edward Stewart. Dated 14th April, 1874.
- Captain Robert Byng Patricia Price Campbell. Dated 4th September, 1875.
- Captain Alexander Graham Owen. Dated 4th October, 1875.
- Captain Robert Adam Wauchope. Dated 4th October, 1875.
- Captain Hugh Arthur Lewes. Dated 4th October, 1875.
- Captain Henry George Saunders. Dated 20th October, 1875.
- Captain Charles O'Loughlin L. Prendergast. Dated 23rd October, 1875.
- Captain (Brevet Major) Henry Archibald Mallock. Dated 11th October, 1875.
- Captain Arthur Robert Chapman. Dated 4th January, 1876.
- Captain Edward Christopher Codrington. Dated 4th January, 1876.

*To be Captains.*

- Lieutenant William Brydon. Dated 28th August, 1875.
- Lieutenant Lorn Robert Henry Dick Campbell. Dated 28th August, 1875.
- Lieutenant Charles Henry Stoddart. Dated 11th September, 1875.
- Lieutenant James Graves Kelly. Dated 11th September, 1875.
- Lieutenant Henry Vere Hunt. Dated 11th September, 1875.
- Lieutenant John Briscoe Watts. Dated 11th September, 1875.

- Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Montague Jocelyn King-Harman. Dated 3rd October, 1875.
- Lieutenant Frank Ranken Cave Voyle. Dated 9th October, 1875.
- Lieutenant Walter Hailes. Dated 9th October, 1875.
- Lieutenant Frank Barrow. Dated 6th November, 1875.
- Lieutenant Charles Folliott Powell. Dated 12th November, 1875.
- Lieutenant William John Vousden. Dated 8th January, 1876.
- Lieutenant Samuel John Dunlop. Dated 8th January, 1876.
- Lieutenant Charles Boswell Norman. Dated 15th January, 1876.

## BENGAL ARMY.

### INFANTRY.

- Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) Gordon Caulfeild to be Colonel. Dated 1st October, 1875.

#### *To be Lieutenant-Colonels.*

- Major Ellis Burroughs Ward. Dated 17th September, 1875.
- Major George William Holdsworth. Dated 1st October, 1875.
- Major Montague Millett. Dated 1st October, 1875.

#### *Late 2nd European Fusiliers.*

- Captain Henry Vansittart Riddell to be Major. Dated 1st October, 1875.

#### *Late 39th Native Infantry.*

- Captain Woodburn Francis Bartleman to be Major. Dated 1st October, 1875.

*Late 43rd Native Infantry.*

Captain Robert Hastie Inglis to be Major. Dated  
1st October, 1875.

*Late 63rd Native Infantry.*

Captain Henry Rowband to be Major. Dated 1st  
October, 1875.

*Late 68th Native Infantry.*

Captain James Johnstone to be Major. Dated  
1st October, 1875.

## MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

*To be Lieutenant-Colonel.*

Major William Henry Whitlock. Dated 20th  
September, 1875.

*To be Captains.*

Captain John William Hindle. Dated 20th Au-  
gust, 1875.

Captain Charles Francis Moore. Dated 20th  
August, 1875.

Captain Hugh Patrick Rolston Francis Crawford.  
Dated 1st September, 1875.

Captain Anthony Wingfield. Dated 4th Sep-  
tember, 1875.

Captain Robert Stephens Jago. Dated 4th Sep-  
tember, 1875.

Captain Charles Dyneley Baynes. Dated 21st  
September, 1875.

Captain Francis Weldon. Dated 26th September,  
1875.

Captain Herbert Augustus Tierney Nepean.  
Dated 26th September, 1875.

Captain Charles Aylmer Liardet. Dated 4th  
October, 1875.

*To be Captains.*

Lieutenant Alexander McCally. Dated 4th August, 1875.

Lieutenant James Joseph Kennedy. Dated 9th October, 1875.

## MADRAS ARMY.

## GENERAL LIST OF CAVALRY OFFICERS.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Charles May Allen Morant to be Captain. Dated 1st August, 1875.

## INFANTRY.

*To be Lieutenant-Colonel.*

Major James Cavan Berkeley. Dated 21st August, 1875.

*Late 3rd Native Infantry.*

Captain Francis Hardinge Tyrell to be Major. Dated 12th October, 1875.

*Late 26th Native Infantry.*

Captain Robert Tait to be Major. Dated 21st August, 1875.

*Late 32nd Native Infantry.*

Captain William Stenhouse to be Major. Dated 12th October, 1875.

## INFANTRY.

*To be Lieutenant-Colonels.*

Major Robert Tait. Dated 12th October, 1875.

Major Francis Hardinge Tyrrell. Dated 1st November, 1875.

## BOMBAY STAFF CORPS.

*To be Lieutenant-Colonels.*

Major Montagu William Parker. Dated 11th December, 1875.

Major Thomas Rose Nimmo. Dated 11th December, 1875.

*To be Majors.*

Captain Murray Doveton Valentine Treasure Grant. Dated 21st September, 1875.

Captain Reginald Bythell. Dated 2nd October, 1875.

Captain Lechmere Russell. Dated 4th October, 1875.

Captain (Brevet Major) William Henry Newport. Dated 7th December, 1875.

*To be Captains.*

Lieutenant Thomas Teed. Dated 24th October, 1875.

Lieutenant Benjamin George Humfrey. Dated 6th November, 1875.

FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 2,*  
1876.

*St. James's Palace, May 31, 1876.*

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Charles Edward FitzGerald, Esq., M.D., to be Surgeon-Oculist, in Ireland, in Ordinary to Her Majesty, in the room of Sir William Robert Wylde, M.D., deceased.

*Downing Street, June 1, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Colville Arthur Durell Barclay, Esq., to be Auditor and  
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Accountant-General and Controller of the Revenue for the Island of Ceylon.

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*Crown Office, May 30, 1876.*

MEMBER returned to serve in the present  
PARLIAMENT.

*City of Cork.*

William Goulding, of Summer Hill House, in the city of Cork, Merchant, in the place of Joseph Philip Ronayne, Esq., deceased.

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*Admiralty, 30th May, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Patrick Abercrombie Black has been placed on the Retired List, with permission to assume the rank of Retired Commander, from the 23rd instant.

Paymaster Henry Edwin Kitchen has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 25th instant.

*Admiralty, 31st May, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Chief Engineer Edmund Rivers has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 29th instant.

*Admiralty, 1st June, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant James Evans has this day been placed on the Retired List, with permission to assume the rank of Retired Commander.

Lieutenant Edward Padwick Hocker has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank.

*Admiralty, 2nd June, 1876.*

The undermentioned Officer has this day been promoted to the rank of Fleet Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet, with the seniority stated against his name :—

Clark A. Duckett, Esq., M.D., with seniority of the 28th May, 1876.

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*War Office, Pall Mall,  
2nd June, 1876.*

COMMISSARIAT AND TRANSPORT  
DEPARTMENT.

Commissary Wellesley Gordon Walker Robinson, with the local and temporary rank of Assistant Commissary-General while employed in the Straits Settlements command, to be Assistant Commissary-General. Dated 27th November, 1875.

CHAPLAINS' DEPARTMENT.

The Reverend Walter Hebden Milner to be Chaplain of the Fourth Class. Dated 27th November, 1875, such antedate not to carry back allowances.

*War Office, 2nd June, 1876.*

**MILITIA.**

*Royal Cumberland.*

Sub-Lieutenant the Honourable Hugh Cecil Lowther to be Lieutenant. Dated 14th March, 1874.

Sub-Lieutenant Herbert Smith to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1874.

*East Kent.*

Major Henry Thomas Howell to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 3rd June, 1876.

Captain and Honorary Major James Robert Blackwell Monypenny to be Major. Dated 3rd June, 1876.

*Royal London.*

George Hearn, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 3rd June, 1876.

*4th or Royal South Middlesex.*

Major Horace William Scriven resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd June, 1876.

Captain John Arbuthnot Lindsay-Bucknall resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd June, 1876.

*Royal Montgomery.*

Major John Heyward Heyward to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice G. Beadnell, resigned. Dated 3rd June, 1876.

*The Prince of Wales Own Norfolk Artillery.*

Captain Frederick Bernard Astley resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 3rd June, 1876.

*Northampton and Rutland.*

Henry William Kennedy Markham, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 3rd June, 1876.

*2nd Somerset.*

Sub-Lieutenant Brooke Richard Brazier resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd June, 1876.

*The (King's Own) 1st Stafford.*

Alexander Whitelaw Thornycroft, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 18th May, 1876.

*Royal Sussex.*

Captain Craven Charles Goring, from the 1st Royal Cheshire Militia, to be Captain. Dated 3rd June, 1876.

*Royal Sussex Artillery.*

Alfred Stephen Broadwood, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 17th May, 1876.

*Haddington, Berwick, Linlithgow, and Peebles Artillery.*

Lieutenant Thomas Alford Houstoun-Boswall to be Captain. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*The Highland Light Infantry.*

Lieutenant William Stewart Fossett resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd June, 1876.

*1st Royal Lanark.*

Captain Arthur Bampton Donnithorne resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd June, 1876.

*South Cork.*

Captain and Honorary Major Robert Holmes resigns his Commission, also is permitted to

retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 3rd June, 1876.

Brooke Richard Brazier, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 3rd June, 1876.

*Donegal.*

Robert Hawkes Ellis, Esq., late Lieutenant, 75th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 26th May, 1876.

*Monaghan.*

Thomas Lucas Woodwright, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 22nd May, 1876.

*Queen's County.*

Lionel George Henry Seymour Dawson Damer, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 10th May, 1876.

*Westmeath.*

Sub-Lieutenant Smyth Bond to be Lieutenant. Dated 6th May, 1874.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

*Buckinghamshire.*

Surgeon W. J. Bryant resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 3rd June, 1876.

*Essex.*

Lieutenant Hervey Foster to be Captain. Dated 3rd June, 1876.

*Gloucestershire.*

Captain John Allan Rolls resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd June, 1876.

*Leicestershire.*

Major Charles Thomas Freer resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 3rd June, 1876.

*North Somerset.*

The Honourable Sydney Hylton Jolliffe, late Lieutenant and Captain Scots Fusilier Guards, to be Captain, vice the Honourable H. Hylton Jolliffe, resigned. Dated 3rd June, 1876.

*Staffordshire.*

Lieutenant Cathcart Boycott Wight to be Captain, vice R. A. Dickens, promoted. Dated 17th May, 1876.

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*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Oxford.*

George John Egerton Dashwood, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 1st June, 1876.

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A Treasury Warrant is published in this Gazette regulating the postage—

Between the United Kingdom and British India and Zanzibar.

Between the United Kingdom Constantinople, Smyrna, and Beyrout, and Pondichéry, Chandernagor, Karikal, Mahé, Yanaon, Guadeloupe, Martinique, French Guiana, Senegal, Goree, Réunion, Mayotte and Dependencies, Cochin China (French Settlements in), St. Mary, Madagascar, New Caledonia, Pondichéry, Chandernagor, Karikal, Mahé, Yanaon, New Caledonia, St. Pierre and Miquelon, Marquesas Islands, and Tahiti.

Between Constantinople, Smyrna, and Beyrout respectively and British India and Zanzibar.

Between Tangier and the United Kingdom and the United States of America, viâ the United Kingdom.

Between Constantinople, Smyrna, Beyrout, Alexandria, and Sucz respectively and the United Kingdom and the United States of America, viâ the United Kingdom.

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FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE* of JUNE 6,  
1876.

*Clarence House, June 2, 1876.*

THE Duke of Edinburgh has been pleased to appoint Captain the Honourable D. G. Manson to be Equerry to His Royal Highness, in the room of Commander Lord Ramsay, R.N., resigned.

The Duke of Edinburgh has also been pleased to appoint Commander Lord Ramsay, R.N., to be Extra Equerry to His Royal Highness.

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(H. 4407.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, June 3, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs copies of Notices issued by the Portuguese Government declaring the ports of the Persian Gulf infected with plague since the 22nd of March last; the port of Maranham infected with, and all the other ports



of that province suspected of, yellow fever since 1st April last ; the port of Diu infected with, and all the other ports of Portuguese India suspected of, cholera morbus since 1st June last ; the port of Maceio infected with, and all the other ports of the province of Alagoas suspected of, yellow fever since the 20th April last ; the port of Santos infected with yellow fever since the 6th April last ; and those ports of the United States which were considered infected with, and suspected of, yellow fever free from that disease since the 5th January last.

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*War Office, Pall Mall,*  
6th June, 1876.

#### MEMORANDUM.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to approve of the 14th Foot being in future styled "The 14th (Buckinghamshire) or the Prince of Wales's Own Regiment of Foot," and of it being permitted to bear the Prince of Wales's Plume on its second colour.

#### *1st West India Regiment.*

Lieutenant-General Arthur Borton, C.B., to be Colonel, vice General Sir George Bowles, G.C.B., deceased. Dated 22nd May, 1876.

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*Treasury Chambers, June 3, 1876.*

THE Chief Authorities of the following Departments, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby give notice that the employment of Charwoman in connection with the service of their respective

Departments is added to Schedule B of the Order in Council of the 4th June, 1870, viz. :—

Public Works Loan Commission.

Department of Prisons and Judicial Statistics,  
Scotland.

Department of Examiners of Criminal Law  
Accounts.

Court of Exchequer, Dublin.

Colonial Office.

Science and Art Department.

Charitable Donations and Bequests Office,  
Dublin.

Probate Court, Dublin.

National Gallery, Dublin.

FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE* of JUNE 9,  
1876.

*Whitehall, June 9, 1876.*

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, granting the dignities of a Viscount and an Earl of the said United Kingdom to the Right Honourable Thomas George, Lord Northbrook, G.C.S.I., lately Her Majesty's Viceroy and Governor-General of India, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the names, styles, and titles of Viscount Baring, of Lee, in the county of Kent, and Earl of Northbrook, in the county of Southampton.

*Foreign Office, May 10, 1876.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Major-General Edward Stanton, C.B., now Her Majesty's Agent and Consul-General in Egypt, to be Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires to the King of Bavaria.

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*Downing Street, June 7, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Gustavus Hennings, Esq., to be a Member of the Legislative Council of the Colony of Fiji.

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*Admiralty, 7th June, 1876.**Royal Marines.*

The undermentioned promotion has taken place in the Royal Marine Light Infantry, viz. :—  
Lieutenant Robert William Francis Holt to be Captain, vice Powell, resigned. Dated 2nd June, 1876.

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*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cornwall.*

Gustavus Lambart Bassett, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th May, 1876.

William Bolitho, jun., Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th May, 1876.

John Claude Daubuz, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th May, 1876.

Francis Gilbert Enys, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th May, 1876.

Richard Foster, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th May, 1876.

Francis Glanville Gregor, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th May, 1876.

- William Sloggatt Hawker, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th May, 1876.
- David William Hickes John Horndon, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th May, 1876.
- William Maskell, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th May, 1876.
- Arthur Mills, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th May, 1876.
- Nevil Norway, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th May, 1876.
- William Cole Pendarves, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th May, 1876.
- William Roberts Crawford Potter, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th May, 1876.
- Erasmus Coryton Roberts, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th May, 1876.
- Thomas Algernon Smith Dorrien-Smith, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th May, 1876.
- John Jervis Tucker, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th May, 1876.
- George Williams, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th May, 1876.

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FROM THE  
SUPPLEMENT

TO THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 9,*  
1876.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, June 9, 1876.*

ORDERS for the Court's going into Mourning on Sunday next, the 11th instant, for Her

late Majesty The Queen Dowager of Sweden and Norway ; viz. :—

The Ladies to wear black Dresses, white Gloves, black or white Shoes, Feathers, and Fans, Pearls, Diamonds, or plain gold or silver Ornaments.

The Gentlemen to wear black Court Dress, with black Swords and Buckles.

The Court to change the Mourning on Sunday, the 25th instant ; viz. :—

The Ladies to wear black Dresses, with coloured Ribbons, Flowers, Feathers, and Ornaments, or grey or white Dresses, with black Ribbons, Flowers, Feathers, and Ornaments.

The Gentlemen to continue the same Mourning.

And on Sunday, the 2nd of July next, the Court to go out of Mourning.

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FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 13,*  
1876.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, June 12, 1876.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be closed on and after Saturday next, the 17th instant, until further orders.

(H. 4487.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, June 9, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Lisbon, enclosing a translation of a Notice issued by the Portuguese Government containing regulations with reference to the mode of levying certain anchorage and tonnage dues :—

(Translation from the Official Journal *Diario de Governo* of May 27, 1876.)

WHEREAS several of the provisions of the Law of 27th December, 1870, which have reference to the tonnage and anchorage dues payable by native and foreign vessels, in the ports of the continental part of this Kingdom, and in the Islands of Madeira and of the Azores, have been altered, in virtue of the 6th Article of the Law of 9th of April, 1874 ; and whereas it is expedient to clear certain doubts which have been raised in the course of time and in practice, as far as regards the carrying out of the rules which have been laid down upon this matter ; His Majesty the King, in accordance with the opinion of the Councillor and Director-General of Customs and Indirect Taxes, has been pleased to ordain, in conformity with the legislation which regulates the levying of tonnage dues, that the following rules should be observed :

1. The provisions laid down in the 4th Article of the Law of 27th of December, 1870, must be held to be applicable to any vessels that may be overloaded and may have to discharge part of their cargo, and also to those, which, being unable to repair damages at the port which they may have entered, require to discharge the whole or part of

their cargo, in order to enable them to pursue their voyage to their destined ports.

2. All Portuguese vessels engaged in the coasting trade are, like those engaged in the navigation of the high seas, or on long voyages, comprised, for all intents and purposes, within the rules laid down in the 3rd and 5th Articles of the said Law.

3. All Portuguese steamers and sailing ships engaged on long voyages, but calling at ports in the continental part of the Kingdom or of the adjacent Islands, and receiving cargo for the same, shall only pay the higher rate of duty to which they may be liable.

4. All foreign vessels condemned as unseaworthy and afterwards rebuilt, and all those constructed in any national building-yards, shall be liable to the tonnage dues as laid down in the Law, and according to their respective destinations.

At the Palace, May 24th, 1876.

ANTONIO DE SERPA PIMENTEL.

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*Admiralty, 9th June, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Navigating Lieutenant Percy Vincent James has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 1st instant.

*Admiralty, 12th June, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Assistant-Paymaster Walter S. Carr has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 4th instant.



*Royal Naval Artillery Volunteers.  
Liverpool Corps.*

Hodgson Horsfall, Esq., to be Sub-Lieutenant.  
Dated 12th June, 1876.

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*War Office, Pall Mall,  
13th June, 1876.*

*2nd Regiment of Life Guards*, Quartermaster Corporal-Major Charles Stanhope Haines to be Quartermaster, vice A. Scarisbrick, retired on half-pay. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*1st Dragoon Guards*, Serjeant-Major Phillip Kelly, from the Cavalry Dépôt Staff, to be Riding-Master, vice R. Dance, resigned. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*12th Lancers*, Major John Cavendish Orred retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*13th Hussars*, Paymaster and Honorary Major Luke Fitzgerald Bernard, from the 56th Foot, to be Paymaster, vice Honorary Captain J. FitzGerald, deceased. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*Royal Artillery*, Lieutenant-Colonel Sir William Hamilton, Bart. (late Bengal), from the Supernumerary List, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice J. A. R. Mead (late Bengal), who retires upon full-pay. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Major Charles Joseph McMahon (late Madras) to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel E. H. Couchman (late Madras), deceased. Dated 27th April, 1876.

Captain and Adjutant William Henry Montgomerie (late Madras) to be Major, vice C. J. McMahon. Dated 27th April, 1876.

Captain William Stopford Maunsell to be Major,

vice C. H. Pickering, deceased. Dated 29th April, 1876.

Major James Peattie Morgan, from the Supernumerary List, to be Major, vice W. H. Wardell, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st June, 1876.

Captain Haughton Montague James Feilden, from the Supernumerary List, to be Captain, vice W. H. Montgomerie. Dated 27th April, 1876.

Lieutenant Arthur James Pearson, from the Supernumerary List, to be Captain upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 29th April, 1876.

Lieutenant James William Buckle to be Captain, vice W. S. Maunsell. Dated 29th April, 1876.

Captain Charles Faulkner Glass (late Bombay) to be Adjutant, vice E. J. Machell (late Bengal), who resigns the Adjutancy only. Dated 3rd April, 1876.

Captain Douglas Western Lawrell (late Madras) to be Adjutant, vice W. H. Montgomerie (late Madras), promoted. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*Grenadier Guards*, Lieutenant the Honourable Francis George Baring, from the Rifle Brigade, to be Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant and Captain H. Wellesley, promoted. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*Scots Fusilier Guards*, Sub-Lieutenant John William Ainslie Drummond, from the 96th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant and Captain B. B. D. Campbell, promoted. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*Brigade Dépôt*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel William Albert Stratton, from half-pay, late 19th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*3rd Foot*, Captain George Robert Taylor, about to 1876.

- be appointed to the Militia, retires upon half-pay. Dated 14th June, 1876.
- Captain William Henry Irvine retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 14th June, 1876.
- Quartermaster William George Morgan, from the 86th Foot, to be Quartermaster, vice T. Cleary, who exchanges. Dated 14th June, 1876.
- 4th Foot*, Captain Charles Frederick Hooper retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 14th June, 1876.
- 5th Foot*, Captain William Bevington Knox retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 14th June, 1876.
- 12th Foot*, Lieutenant Richard Thomas Edward Dowse to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant T. Baker, who resigns that appointment. Dated 15th April, 1876.
- 18th Foot*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Sylvester W. F. M. Wilson retires upon half-pay. Dated 14th June, 1876.
- 19th Foot*, Captain Robert Biscoe, about to be appointed to the Militia, retires upon half-pay. Dated 14th June, 1876.
- 20th Foot*, Captain George Frederic Harris retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 14th June, 1876.
- 22nd Foot*. Lieutenant Walter Spencer Hamilton retires from the Service. Dated 14th June, 1876.
- Lieutenant Hogge's exchange with Lieutenant Coleman, 36th Foot, is antedated to the 14th October, 1875.
- 24th Foot*, Lieutenant Herbert Michael Williams to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant

R. Younghusband, promoted. Dated 4th May, 1876.

*26th Foot*, Lieutenant Charles Thesiger Barrow to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant G. Winter, who has resigned that appointment. Dated 19th January, 1876.

*29th Foot*, Lieutenant Francis Henry Lovell retires from the Service, receiving the value of an Ensigncy. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*32nd Foot*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Thomas Wright Marten retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*36th Foot*, Lieutenant Coleman's exchange with Lieutenant Hogge, *22nd Foot*, is antedated to the 14th October, 1875.

Quartermaster William Robinson, from the *60th Foot*, to be Quartermaster, vice J. W. H. Riley, who exchanges. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*60th Foot*, Quartermaster John William Henry Riley, from the *36th Foot*, to be Quartermaster, vice W. Robinson, who exchanges. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*74th Foot*, The undermentioned Officers retire from the Service, receiving the value of their Commissions :—

Major Robert Frederick Martin. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Captain and Brevet Major Henry George Lyon Campbell. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*75th Foot*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel John Hackett retires upon half-pay. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*86th Foot*, Quartermaster Timothy Cleary, from the *3rd Foot*, to be Quartermaster, vice W. G.

Morgan, who exchanges. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*87th Foot*, Sub-Lieutenant John Tyrwhitt-Walker to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th February, 1874.

*93rd Foot*, Lieutenant Charles Thomas Graham Trotter retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*99th Foot*, Lieutenant John Graham Drury retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*102nd Foot*, Lieutenant George Harry McCarogher Orr Whieldon, from the Royal Sussex Militia, to be Lieutenant. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*104th Foot*, Lieutenant Charles James Butler has been permitted to assume the surname of Kearney in addition to and after the surname of Butler.

Quartermaster John Bloom Harper, from half-pay, late 2nd West India Regiment, to be Quartermaster, vice C. Wooden, V.C., deceased. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*106th Foot*, Sub-Lieutenant Philip Beaumont Gruneisen Coulton resigns his Commission. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*Rifle Brigade*, The undermentioned Officers retire from the Service, receiving the value of their Commissions :—

Lieutenant Walter Sydney Campbell. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Lieutenant Henry John Dutton. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*1st West India Regiment*, Lieutenant Claude Osbert Bulger retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Sub-Lieutenant William Hore Knight to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th April, 1874.

Sub-Lieutenant George Vaughan Harrison to be Lieutenant. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Sub-Lieutenant Juxon Henry Jones to be Lieutenant. Dated 10th June, 1874.

*Unattached List*, Louis Augustus Gordon, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, Dated 14th June, 1876.

Sub-Lieutenant Gerard Thomas Noel, from Northampton and Rutland Militia, to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Kenneth Mackenzie Foss, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 14th June, 1876.

### BREVET.

Major-General John William Croggan, Colonel-Commandant Royal (late Madras) Artillery, to be Lieutenant-General, in succession to C. S. Reid, Royal (late Bengal) Artillery, deceased. Dated 10th April, 1876.

Colonel Henry Hamilton Maxwell, C.B., Royal (late Bengal) Artillery, to be Major-General, in succession to D. Reid, Royal (late Bengal) Artillery, deceased. Dated 16th August, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 1st March, 1876.

The Commission as Brevet Colonel of Lieutenant-Colonel Francis Dawson, Madras Staff Corps, to be antedated to 1st March, 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas S. Brown, 83rd Foot, having completed the qualifying service, to be Colonel. Dated 3rd June, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Alexander Richmond Mead, Royal (late Bengal) Artillery, to have the honorary rank of Colonel, on retiring upon full-pay. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Major Thomas Bland Strange, Royal Artillery, to have the local rank of Lieutenant-Colonel in

Canada, whilst holding the appointment of Commandant of the School of Gunnery at Quebec. Dated 30th September, 1875.

Captain and Brevet Major William Addis Delacombe, retired Royal Marine Light Infantry, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 20th May, 1876.

Paymaster William Shepherd, Royal Artillery, to have the honorary rank of Major. Dated 14th May, 1876.

The following alterations of dates and promotions to take place in consequence of the death, on 29th February, 1876, of Major-General D. Reid, Royal (late Bengal) Artillery:—

The Commissions of the undermentioned Brevet Lieutenant-Colonels to be antedated as follows, viz. :—

G. W. Puget, 34th Foot, to 1st March, 1876.

O. B. Feilden, 78th Foot, to 17th March, 1876.

The promotion to Brevet rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, on 5th April, 1876, of Major H. D. Battye, Bengal Staff Corps, to be cancelled, he having subsequently obtained the substantive rank of Lieutenant-Colonel with a prior date.

Major Charles A. de Kantzow, Bengal Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 20th March, 1876.

The Commissions of the undermentioned Brevet Majors to be altered as follows :—

A. C. J. McMeekan, Royal Marine Light Infantry, to 1st March, 1876.

E. F. Browne, 35th Foot, to 17th March, 1876.

C. S. Williams, Royal Marine Artillery, to 20th March, 1876.

The undermentioned promotion to take place



in Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces consequent on the death of Lieutenant-General Colin Troup, C.B., Bengal Infantry, on 19th March, 1876:—

Major-General George William Bishop, Bengal Infantry, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 20th March, 1876.

The following alteration of date and promotions to take place consequent on the death, on 19th March, 1876, of Lieutenant-General Colin Troup, C.B., Bengal Infantry:—

Major-General W. F. Curtis to draw pay from 20th March, 1876, instead of from 5th April, 1876.

Brevet Colonel Thomas Edmond Knox, C.B., from Lieutenant-Colonel, Brigade Dépôt, to be Major-General. Dated 28th October, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 5th April, 1876.

*To be Lieutenant-Colonels.*

Major Henry P. Close, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 20th March, 1876.

Major Thomas Eaton Swettenham, 31st Foot. Dated 5th April, 1876.

*To be Majors.*

Captain Æneas Gordon Blair, 14th Foot. Dated 20th March, 1876.

Captain Charles Edward Wright, 96th Foot. Dated 5th April, 1876.

The undermentioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces to be granted a step of honorary rank on retirement:—

*To be Major-Generals.*

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Augustus

Kay Moffat, Bengal Infantry. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Herbert Raban, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel George McAndrew, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Frederick Henry Smith, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Francis George Stainforth, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel William Ruxton Eneas Alexander, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel John Peter William Campbell, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel John Richardson Auldjo, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel George Hutchinson, C.B., C.S.I., Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Francis Applegath, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Frederick Phillips, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Hamilton Robert Hathway, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*To be Colonels.*

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Mathew Longmore, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Campbell MacDougall, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Robert Currie, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Durie Griffin, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Maefarlane Norris, Madras Infantry. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Waddington, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel Clarence Augustus Collier, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Currie, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edmund Willoughby Lyons, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Payne Barras, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*To be Surgeon-General.*

Deputy Surgeon-General Henry Young, Madras Establishment. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*To be Deputy Surgeons-General.*

Surgeon-Major John Young Smith, M.D., Bombay Establishment. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Surgeon-Major Robert Gillman Lord, M.D., Bombay Establishment. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Surgeon-Major John Mills, Bombay Establishment. Dated 14th June, 1876.

MEMORANDA.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. Van Harthals Montagu, half-pay, late 10th Foot, retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 13th May, 1876.

Quartermaster and Honorary Captain William Graham, half-pay, Royal Artillery, has been permitted to commute his retired allowance. Dated 5th May, 1876.

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*War Office, 13th June, 1876.*

## MILITIA.

### *Royal Anglesey.*

Sub-Lieutenant Montagu Creighton Curry, from the 2nd Royal Surrey Militia, to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 15th May, 1876.

### *Royal Bucks.*

Hugh Miller Hewett, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 14th June, 1876.

### *Royal Carnarvon.*

Henry Wilson Lovett, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 14th June, 1876.

### *Royal Cumberland.*

Lieutenant Samuel Wagstaff Smith resigns his Commission. Dated 14th June, 1876.

### *1st Derby.*

Captain and Honorary Major Thomas Keeling Bateman resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Lieutenant John A. S. Bouverie to be Captain. Dated 14th June, 1876.

### *Dorset.*

Lieutenant Frederick Gordon-Mackenzie resigns his Commission. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*2nd, or North Durham.*

Captain Charles Lechmere Heathcote, 106th Foot, to be Adjutant. Dated 31st May, 1876.  
 Adjutant Charles Lechmere Heathcote to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 31st May, 1876.

*Hants, Isle of Wight Artillery.*

Sub-Lieutenant John St. Vincent Crowder to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1874.  
 John Edward Eversley, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 14th June, 1876.

*East Kent.*

Lieutenant Alfred North Daniel to be Captain. Dated 14th June, 1876.  
 Lieutenant Herbert Charles Perrott to be Captain. Dated 14th June, 1876.  
 Lieutenant Arthur Blundell to be Captain. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*3rd Royal Lancashire.*

Arnold Wilson Birch, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*4th Royal Lancashire.*

Reginald Corbet, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 14th June, 1876.  
 The third Christian name of Sub-Lieutenant Moss, whose appointment was notified in the Gazette of 7th March, 1876, is *Zwilchenbart*, and not *Twilchenbart*, as therein stated.

*7th Royal Lancashire.*

Sub-Lieutenant Newdigate Addington Knightley Burne to be Lieutenant. Dated 18th November, 1874.

*Royal Lancashire Artillery.*

Major Thomas Harvey Kearsley resigns his Commission. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Captain James Clifton Brown to be Major. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*Leicester.*

Captain and Honourable Major William Edward Phelp resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*Royal Monmouth.*

Captain John Michael Zamoiski is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*1st, or West Norfolk.*

Henry Keppel, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*Nottingham or Royal Sherwood Foresters.*

Lieutenant Edward Guy Trafford resigns his Commission. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*The (King's Own) 1st Stafford.*

Captain Hyde Sergison Smith resigns his Commission. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*Royal Westmoreland.*

William Harrison, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 2nd June, 1876.

*3rd West York.*

George Davenport Ringrose, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th May, 1876.

*5th West York.*

Lieutenant James Hoole to be Captain, vice H. St. J. Jowers, resigned. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*6th West York.*

William Henry Spencer, Esq., late Major, is permitted to retain his rank and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 13th May, 1876.

Kenneth Edward Lean, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*Forfar and Kincardine Artillery.*

Captain John Allen Allen is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*Haddington, Berwick, Linlithgow, and Peebles Artillery.*

Frederick Baird, Esq., late Lieutenant 6th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 1st June, 1876.

*Highland Borderers Light Infantry.*

Douglas Beresford Malise Ronald, Duke of Montrose, to be Honorary Colonel of the Regiment, vice Sir A. C. R. G. Maitland, Bart., deceased. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Patrick Stirling, Esq., late Lieutenant 92nd Foot, to be Captain. Dated 14th June, 1876.

John Buchanan Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 2nd June, 1876.

*The Highland Rifle.*

Sub-Lieutenant John Douglas Maude Guthrie to be Lieutenant. Dated 25th November, 1874.

Sub-Lieutenant Randolph Douglas Mackenzie to be Lieutenant. Dated 2nd January, 1875.



*1st Royal Lanark.*

Morton Peto Grissell, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant.  
Dated 30th May, 1876.

*Antrim.*

Captain Alexander Moore Armstrong resigns his  
Commission. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*Armagh.*

Maxwell Vandeleur Blacker, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 2nd June, 1876.

*Cavan.*

Lieutenant George Alexander Nicolls resigns his  
Commission. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*North Cork.*

Major William Johnson is granted the honorary  
rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Harry Osman Newland, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st June, 1876.

*South Cork.*

Arthur John Lucas, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st June, 1876.

*West Cork Artillery.*

Captain Edmond Scully is granted the honorary  
rank of Major. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*Donegal.*

Major John Galbraith Tredennick is granted the  
honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated  
14th June, 1876.

*Donegal Artillery.*

Captain and Honorary Major Thomas Patterson

resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*Royal North Down.*

Sub-Lieutenant Hallett Lyttelton Roche resigns his Commission. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*Fermanagh.*

Captain Benjamin Bloomfield resigns his Commission. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*Golway.*

Lieutenant Nicholas Joseph Balfe resigns his Commission. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*Kildare.*

Henry Edward William de Robeck, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th May, 1876.

*King's County.*

Richard Long Ryan, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 22nd May, 1876.

*Royal Limerick County.*

Captain and Honorary Major Ormsby Vandeleur resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*Sligo.*

Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Charles James Knox Gore, Bart., resigns his Commission, and is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Colonel Sir Charles James Knox Gore, Bart., late Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Honorary Colonel of the Regiment. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*Westmeath.*

Edward Winter Purdon, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 18th May, 1876.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

*Royal North Devon.*

Lieutenant the Honourable Walter Rodolph Trefusis to be Captain (Supernumerary). Dated 14th June, 1876.

*Gloucestershire.*

Lieutenant G. E. L. Baker to be Captain. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*Duke of Lancaster's Own.*

Charles Duneroft Radcliffe, late Lieutenant, 13th Foot, to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th May, 1876.

*Nottinghamshire (Sherwood Rangers).*

Lieutenant Charles Tylden Wright resigns his Commission. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*West Somerset.*

Richard Thomas Combe, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*Staffordshire.*

Lieutenant James Heath to be Captain. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*Treasury Chambers, June 10, 1876.*

THE Lords of the Committee of Council for Trade, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby give notice that the situation of Clerk (not being the Chief Clerk) to the Solicitor to the Board of Trade is added to Schedule B of the Order in Council of the 4th June, 1870.

His Grace the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby gives notice that the employment of Messenger in the service of the Veterinary Department in Ireland is added to Schedule B of the Order in Council of the 4th June, 1870.

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FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 16,*  
1876.

*Downing Street, June 14, 1876.*

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Adam Gib Ellis, Esq., to be a Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court of the Island of Mauritius.

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NOTICE.

*Foreign Office, June 14, 1876.*

HER Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs has received from the British Agent and Consul-General at Zanzibar, the fol-  
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lowing Notice respecting the failure of Mr. Arthur Laing, Merchant, at Zanzibar :—

NOTICE.

In the Consul Court at Zanzibar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the bankruptcy of Arthur Laing, General Merehant, Zanzibar, published the 25th August, 1875, has been this day annulled by the Order of the Court.

(Signed) JOHN KIRK,

H.M. Agent and Consul-General, Zanzibar.  
Zanzibar, 27th April, 1876.

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(M. 7546.)

*Marine Department, Board of Trade,  
Whitehall Gardens, June 15, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Seeretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Madrid, with the following translation of a Royal Spanish Order respecting the tonnage measurement of eoal laden vessels in Spain :—

ROYAL ORDER.

His Majesty the King (whom God preserve) agreeing with your proposal has deigned to order

1. That the captains of vessels laden with eoals shall come provided with a eertificate from the Consul of Spain at the starting point, to be issued on presentation of the certifieates of freight (polizas de fletamiento) and setting forth the quantity of fuel which they earry ; the said document to serve as a basis for effecting the Customs' operations without prejudice to the verifications which may be made by the Custom-houses in eases of doubt.

2. That the Customs' operations now awaiting decision be carried out by taking the quantity

which may have been declared by the consignees if they present the Consular Certificate proving that to be the quantity which the vessel received at the port of loading.

And 3. That information of the decision be given to our Consuls causing them to understand the importance which will be attached to the document which they are to issue and pressing them to show zeal for the best defence of fiscal interests.

By Royal Order I inform you of this, that it may have due effect.

Madrid, 4th May, 1876.

God, &c.,

(Signed) SALAVERRIA.

*To the Director-General of Customs.*

(H. 4715.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),*

*Whitehall Gardens, June 16, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs information to the effect that the Russian Government has issued an Order requiring the bill of health of all vessels arriving at Russian ports from the southern shores of the Black Sea to be viséd by the Russian Consuls stationed on that coast.

*Admiralty, 13th June, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Chief Engineer Patrick Graham Lambert has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from this date.

*Admiralty, 15th June, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Captain Edward Field has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 7th instant.

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*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Aberdeen.*

Sir Robert John Abereromby, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 7th June, 1876.

William Leslie, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 7th June, 1876.

James George Ferguson Russell, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 7th June, 1876.

Henry Gordon, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 7th June, 1876.

Andrew Robertson, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 7th June, 1876.

Alexander Morison Gordon, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 8th June, 1876.

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*Crown Office, June 15, 1876.*

Days and Places appointed for holding the Summer Assizes.

### SOUTH-EASTERN CIRCUIT.

The Lord Chief Justice of England.

Mr. Baron Huddleston.

*Sussex*, Wednesday, July 5, at Lewes.

*Kent*, Monday, July 10, at Maidstone.

*Essex*, Monday, July 17, at Chelmsford.

*Hertfordshire*, Thursday, July 20, at Hertford.

*Huntingdonshire*, Monday, July 24, at Huntingdon.



*Cambridgeshire*, Wednesday, July 26, at the Shirehall, Chesterton.

*Suffolk*, Monday, July 31, at Bury St. Edmunds.

*Norfolk*, Friday, August 4, at the Castle of Norwich.

*County of the City of Norwich*, the same day, at the Guildhall.

## SURREY ASSIZES.

The Lord Chief Justice *Coleridge*.

Mr. Justice *Quain*.

Saturday, July 1, at Guildford.

## NORTH and SOUTH WALES CIRCUIT.

The Lord Chief Baron.

Mr. Baron *Cleasby*.

### NORTH WALES and CHESTER.

*Montgomeryshire*, Tuesday, July 4, at Newtown.

*Merionethshire*, Saturday, July 8, at Dolgelly.

*Carnarvonshire*, Tuesday, July 11, at Carnarvon.

*Anglesey*, Friday, July 1., at Beaumaris.

*Denbighshire*, Monday, July 17, at Ruthin.

*Flintshire*, Thursday, July 20, at Mold.

*Cheshire*, Monday, July 24, at Chester Castle.

### SOUTH WALES.

*Pembrokeshire, and Town and County of Haverfordwest*, Saturday, July 1, at Haverfordwest.

*Cardiganshire*, Saturday, July 8, at Cardigan.

*Carmarthenshire, and County of the Borough of Carmarthen*, Wednesday, July 12, at Carmarthen.

*Brecknockshire*, Monday, July 17, at Brecon.

*Radnorshire*, Friday, July 21, at Presteign.

*Glamorganshire*, Saturday, July 29, at Swansea.

## NORTHERN CIRCUIT.

Mr. Baron *Bramwell*.Mr. Justice *Lindley*.*Cumberland*, Thursday, June 29, at Carlisle.*Westmorland*, Tuesday, July 4, at Appleby.*Lancashire*, Tuesday, July 4, at Lancaster.*Lancashire*, Saturday, July 8, at Manchester.*Lancashire*, Saturday, July 20, at Liverpool.

## WESTERN CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice *Blackburn*.Mr. Baron *Amphlett*.*Wiltshire*, Thursday, June 29, at New Sarum.*Southampton*, Monday, July 3, at the Castle of Winchester.*Dorsetshire*, Monday, July 10, at Dorchester.*Devonshire, and County of the City of Exeter*,  
Thursday, July 13, at Exeter.*Cornwall*, Thursday, July 20, at Bodmin.*Somersetshire*, Tuesday, July 25, at Wells.*City of Bristol*, Monday, July 31, at the Guildhall.

## MIDLAND CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice *Mellor*.Mr. Justice *Field*.*Buckinghamshire*, Thursday, June 29, at Aylesbury.*Bedfordshire*, Saturday, July 1, at Bedford.*Northamptonshire*, Wednesday, July 5, at Northampton.*Leicestershire and Borough of Leicester*, Saturday,  
July 8, at Leicester.*Rutlandshire*, Thursday, July 13, at Oakham.*Lincolnshire and County of the City of Lincoln*,  
Friday, July 14, at Lincoln.

*Nottinghamshire and County of the Town of Nottingham*, Thursday, July 20, at Nottingham.

*Derbyshire*, Tuesday, July 25, at Derby.

*Warwickshire*, Saturday, July 29, at Warwick.

### NORTH-EASTERN CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice *Lush*.

Mr. Justice *Denman*.

*Durham*, Thursday; June 29, at Durham.

*Northumberland, and County of the Town of Newcastle-upon-Tyne*, Thursday, July 6, at Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

*North and East Riding Division of Yorkshire, and County of the City of York*, Saturday, July 15, at York.

*West Riding Division*, Saturday, July 22, at Leeds.

### OXFORD CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice *Brett*.

Mr. Justice *Grove*.

*Berkshire*, Wednesday, July 28, at Reading.

*Oxfordshire*, Saturday, July 1, at Oxford.

*Worcestershire, and City of Worcester*, Wednesday, July 5, at Worcester.

*Staffordshire*, Monday, July 10, at Stafford.

*Shropshire*, Wednesday, July 19, at Shrewsbury.

*Herefordshire*, Tuesday, July 25, at Hereford.

*Monmouthshire*, Friday, July 28, at Monmouth.

*Gloucestershire, and City of Gloucester*, Wednesday, August 2, at Gloucester.

A Treasury Warrant is published in this Gazette regulating the postage between the United Kingdom and the Cape of Good Hope, Natal, St. Helena, or Ascension.

FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 20,*  
 1876.

*Admiralty, 19th June, 1876.*

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant George Harry Richard Willis has been this day placed on the Retired List, with permission to assume the rank and title of Retired Commander.

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*War Office, Pall Mall,*  
 19th June, 1876.

MEMORANDA.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to approve of the 17th Lancers being in future designated "The 17th (Duke of Cambridge's Own) Lancers."

The Queen has been graciously pleased to approve of the 77th Foot being in future designated "The 77th (East Middlesex) or the Duke of Cambridge's Own Regiment of Foot."

*17th Lancers.*

Field-Marshal His Royal Highness George William Frederick Charles, Duke of Cambridge, K.G., G.C.B., K.P., G.C.M.G., to be Colonel-in-Chief. Dated 21st June, 1876.

FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 23,*  
 1876.

*Downing Street, June 22, 1876.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal for the annexation of certain territories known as Fingoland, the Idutywa Reserve, and Nomansland, to the Colony of the Cape of Good Hope.

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*Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens,*  
*June 20, 1876.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to confer the Albert Medal of the Second Class on : —

LIEUTENANT ALFRED CARPENTER, R.N., of  
 Her Majesty's Ship "Challenger."

The following is an account of the services in respect of which the decoration has been conferred : —

At 10.30 P.M. on the 31st January, 1876, while the "Challenger" was at anchor in Stanley Harbour, Falkland Islands, in five fathoms of water, distant a quarter of a mile from the shore, Thomas Bush, an Able Seaman, fell overboard from the steam pinnace, which was coming alongside, and sank without uttering a cry. The night was dark, the weather very boisterous and raining, there was a short chopping sea (which rendered swimming extremely difficult), and an outsetting current.

LIEUTENANT CARPENTER, without a moment's hesitation, jumped from the gangway, and swam

towards the spot where the man disappeared, which was some twenty feet from the ship, and touched him with his feet under water. He then dived, seized hold of Bush, and brought him to the surface, and supported him from three to five minutes; but Bush being a very heavy man, and encumbered with thick waterproof clothing, and, moreover, being quite insensible, LIEUTENANT CARPENTER, as he got exhausted with his exertions, was obliged to let him slip down. He supported him with his legs for a few moments, and then they were both hauled into the pinnace, and taken on board the "Challenger."

When picked up, they were between forty and fifty yards from the ship's stern, which distance they were drifted by the current and wind. Every effort was at once made by the medical officers to restore Bush, but without success.

There were several patches of floating kelp round the ship, amongst which the strongest swimmer would be helpless, which materially increased the risk incurred.

From the unusual and strange fact that the man was not seen from the time of his falling overboard until brought to the surface by LIEUTENANT CARPENTER, no boat, but for his prompt action, could have attempted to save the man with any chance of success.

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(H. 4840.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, S. W., June 20, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, information to the effect that henceforth vessels arriving at Odessa from Trebisonde and the other ports of Turkey in Asia to the east of Trebisonde, are

obliged to present the Consular visa required by the quarantine regulations, in order to show a satisfactory sanitary condition of the vessel, and that it has just been proposed to extend the above measure to all the ports of the Black Sea.

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*Whitehall, June 17, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto George Lewis, of the Middle Temple, in the city of London, and of the Limes, in the parish of Exminster, in the county of Devon, Barrister-at-Law, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a proviso contained in a certain deed, bearing date the 30th day of May last, made between Margaret Pitt, of Montagu-place, Montagu-square, in the parish of Saint Marylebone, in the county of Middlesex, the widow and relict of Samuel Pitt, late of Kendall's Lodge, in the county of Hertford, and of Montagu-place aforesaid, Esquire, deceased (the maternal great uncle of the said George Lewis), of the first part, and certain trustees of the second part, and the said George Lewis of the third part, take and henceforth use and assume the surname of Pitt in addition to and before that of Lewis :

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms, otherwise to be void and of none effect.

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*Admiralty, 20th June, 1876.*

*Royal Marine Light Infantry.*

The promotion of Captain Gerald Altham Heseltine, vide the London Gazette of the 5th May, 1876, is confirmed, he having passed the required examination.



*Royal Naval Artillery Volunteers.  
London Corps.*

Samuel Osborn, Esq., F.R.C.S., to be Surgeon.  
Dated 20th June, 1876.

*Admiralty, 21st June, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Assistant-Paymaster Robert Francis Walford Soady has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

*Admiralty, 22nd June, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, Admiral the Right Honourable Lord Clarence Edward Paget, K.C.B., has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 18th instant, and the following promotions consequent thereon have been made from the same date :—

Vice-Admiral Edward Gennys Fanshawe, C.B.,  
to be Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Rear-Admiral Robert Coote, C.B., to be Vice-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Captain Charles Fellowes, C.B., to be Rear-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Consequent on the foregoing, the following promotions, on the Reserved and Retired List, have also taken place, from the same date :—

Vice-Admiral Richard Henry Stopford to be Admiral on the Reserved List.

Vice-Admiral the Honourable Swynfen Thomas Carnegie, C.B., to be Admiral on the Retired List.

Vice-Admiral James Paterson Bower to be Admiral on the Reserved List.

Vice-Admiral Arthur Lowe to be Admiral on the Retired List.

Rear-Admiral Arthur Parry Eardley Wilmot, C.B., to be Vice-Admiral on the Retired List.

The following promotions have been made :—

Sub-Lieutenants :

Hugh Blencowe Rooper,  
 Blanchard Reginald Toogood Coward,  
 Arthur James Allen,  
 Robert Henry Muirhead Collins,  
 George Harry Drury,  
 Edmund Arthur White,  
 Henry William Target,  
 Arthur Francis Graves,  
 Cæsar Frederick de Merindol Malan,  
 Algernon Evan-Thomas,  
 John Burlton Benett,  
 Henry Morton Tudor Jones,  
 Archibald Berkeley Milne,

to be Lieutenants in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 1st instant.

Sub-Lieutenants :

Walter Pigot,  
 George Langford,

to be Lieutenants in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 20th instant.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of the 6th July, 1866, and 22nd February, 1870—

Fleet Surgeon Clark Armstone Duckett has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

*Admiralty, 23rd June, 1876.*

The promotion of Navigating Sub-Lieutenant

Henry Grey to the rank of Navigating Lieutenant, as notified in the London Gazette of the 7th March last, has been cancelled.

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*War Office, Pall Mall,*  
23rd June, 1876.

*3rd Regiment of Dragoon Guards*, Major George Romney Rawlinson to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel J. R. S. Sayer, C.B., retired on half-pay. Dated 31st May, 1876.

Captain F. John George Murray to be Major, vice G. R. Rawlinson. Dated 31st May, 1876.

Lieutenant Robert Steen Gray to be Captain, vice F. J. G. Murray. Dated 31st May, 1876.

*4th Dragoon Guards*, Captain Thomas Bradney Shaw-Hellier to be Major, vice Henry Haskett Chilton, deceased. Dated 2nd June, 1876.

Lieutenant Charles Villiers Ibbetson to be Captain, vice T. B. Shaw-Hellier. Dated 2nd June, 1876.

*2nd Dragoons*, Captain Francis Lamb Philp retires from the Service. receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 24th June, 1876.

*10th Hussars*, Major Lord Ralph Drury Kerr to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice the Honourable C. C. Molyneux, retired. Dated 31st May, 1876.

Captain Edward Alexander Wood, from the Supernumerary List. to be Major, vice Lord R. D. Kerr. Dated 31st May, 1876.

*12th Lancers*, Captain John Sprot Tait to be Major, vice J. C. Orred, retired. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Lieutenant George Mure Martin to be Captain, vice J. S. Tait. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*15th Hussars*, Major Charles Currie retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 24th June, 1876.

Captain John Bullen Symes-Bullen, from the *16th Lancers*, to be Captain, vice T. Davison, who exchanges. Dated 24th June, 1876.

*16th Lancers*, Captain Thomas Davison, from the *15th Hussars*, to be Captain, vice J. B. Symes-Bullen, who exchanges. Dated 24th June, 1876.

*18th Hussars*, Captain David Bryce Burn, from the *75th Foot*, to be Captain, vice Brevet Major W. L. Twentymen, retired upon temporary half-pay. Dated 24th June, 1876.

*Grenadier Guards*, The Lieutenant transferred from the Rifle Brigade, in the Gazette of 13th June, 1876, should have been described as Francis George, *Viscount Baring*, and not as the *Honourable Francis George Baring*.

*3rd Foot*, Captain John Foot, from half-pay, late *24th Foot*, to be Captain, vice G. R. Taylor, retired on half-pay. Dated 14th June, 1876, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 24th June, 1876.

Lieutenant William Henry Wyld to be Captain, vice W. H. Irvine, retired. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*4th Flot*, Lieutenant Philip Charles Yorke to be Captain, vice C. F. Hooper, retired. Dated 14th June, 1876,

*5th Foot*, Captain Henry Evelyn Woodville Preston retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 24th June, 1876.

Lieutenant Charles de Jersey Græme to be Captain, vice J. J. Bradshaw, made Super-

numery on being appointed Adjutant, 1st Administrative Battalion Northumberland Rifle Volunteers. Dated 29th April, 1876.

Lieutenant William Assheton Eardley-Wilmot to be Captain, vice W. B. Knox, retired. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*9th Foot*, Lieutenant James Algernon Ind to be Captain, vice Brevet Major H. C. Vibart, promoted. Dated 17th May, 1876.

*11th Foot*, Captain A. M. Arthur, who has resigned his appointment as Deputy Assistant-Adjutant-General for Musketry, from the Supernumerary List, to be Captain, vice H. H. Skill, made Supernumerary whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant, 1st Devon Militia. Dated 30th October, 1875.

*16th Foot*, Lieutenant Frederiek John Harden to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant E. H. Wickham, promoted. Dated 1st May, 1876.

*17th Foot*, Quartermaster - Serjeant William Horner to be Quartermaster, vice R. Storey, retired on half-pay. Dated 24th June, 1876.

*18th Foot*, Major Richard Hillman Daniel to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel S. W. F. M. Wilson, retired on half-pay. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Captain Riehard William E. Dawson to be Major, vice R. H. Daniel. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Lieutenant George William Nesbit Rogers to be Captain, vice R. W. E. Dawson. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*19th Foot*, Major Edward Whyte retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 24th June, 1876.

Captain George Ffrench Stehelin, from half-pay, late 83rd Foot, to be Captain, vice R. Biscoe, retired on half-pay. Dated 24th June, 1876.

*20th Foot*, Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Archibald Butter, from half-pay, late 15th Foot, to be Captain, vice G. F. Harris, retired on temporary half-pay. Dated 24th June, 1876.

*27th Foot*, Lieutenant Arthur Henry Grant resigns his Commission. Dated 24th June, 1876.

*30th Foot*, Lieutenant William Ingersoll Merritt, retires from the Service receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 24th June, 1876.

*32nd Foot*, Major the Honourable Raymond H. de Montmorency to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel T. W. Marten, retired. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel John Edmonstoune to be Major, vice the Honourable R. H. de Montmorency. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Lieutenant John Fane Ballard to be Captain, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel J. Edmonstoune. Dated 14th June, 1876.

*38th Foot*, Captain Oscar William de Satgé-de Thoren retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 24th June, 1876.

Captain Arthur Howard Southey, from half-pay, late 5th Foot, to be Captain, vice A. Stokes, retired upon temporary half-pay. Dated 24th June, 1876.

*46th Foot*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel G. Whitworth Talbot Rich, C.B., from a Brigade Dépôt, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel C. P. Catty, retired upon full-pay. Dated 24th June, 1876.

*48th Foot*, Captain and Brevet Major Francis Constantine Trent to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel J. R. Lovett, retired upon full-pay. Dated 31st May, 1876.

Lieutenant Reginald Pennell to be Captain, vice Brevet Major F. C. Trent. Dated 31st May, 1876.

*55th Foot*, Captain Osborne Samuel Delano-Osborne retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 24th June, 1876.

*56th Foot*, Lieutenant Daniel Alexander Blest to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant Prickett, promoted. Dated 17th April, 1876.

*57th Foot*, Captain Henry Burton, from half-pay, late 40th Foot, to be Captain, vice W. Gillmor, retired upon temporary half-pay. Dated 24th June, 1876.

*60th Foot*, Captain Walter Cowan retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 24th June, 1876.

*61st Foot*, Major William Blackett to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel A. W. Gordon, retired on full-pay. Dated 31st May, 1876.

Captain and Brevet Major Robert Hutton to be Major, vice W. Blackett. Dated 31st May, 1876.

Lieutenant Redmond Uniacke Somerville to be Captain, vice Brevet Major R. Hutton. Dated 31st May, 1876.

*67th Foot*, The appointment of Lieutenant J. S. White, as Instructor of Musketry, is antedated to 1st April, 1874.

*68th Foot*, Captain and Brevet-Major George Kennedy Shaw, from the Supernumerary List,



- to be Major, vice J. Spratt, retired upon full-pay. Dated 31st May, 1876.
- 71st Foot*, Captain Frederiek de Sausmarez retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 24th June, 1876.
- 74th Foot*, Captain and Brevet Major Abel Straghan to be Major, vice R. F. Martin, retired. Dated 14th June, 1876.
- Lieutenant George Farie to be Captain, vice Brevet Major A. Straghan. Dated 14th June, 1876.
- Lieutenant Evelyn John Hamilton to be Captain, vice Brevet Major H. G. L. Campbell, retired. Dated 14th June, 1876.
- 75th Foot*, Captain James Dickson Mackenzie, from half-pay, late 14th Foot, to be Captain, vice D. B. Burn, transferred to the 18th Hussars. Dated 24th June, 1876.
- 93rd Foot*, Lieutenant Philip Durham Trotter to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant MaeVicar, promoted. Dated 24th May, 1876.
- 96th Foot*, Lieutenant Reginal John Suthie Utermarek, from the 1st Royal Guernsey Militia, to be Lieutenant, in succession to Sub-Lieutenant G. C. Herbert, transferred to the 7th Foot. Dated 24th June, 1876.
- 97th Foot*, Lieutenant Abraham Prim Crobyn, from the Donegal Artillery Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice H. P. Gore Langton, transferred to the 72nd Foot. Dated 24th June, 1876.
- 98th Foot*, The second Christian name of Lieutenant Tyacke is Humphry, and not Humphrey, as hitherto stated.
- 104th Foot*, Captain and Brevet-Major William James Hales, from half-pay, late 10th Foot,

to be Captain, vice C. M. Davidson. made Supernumerary, whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant, South Cork Militia. Dated 24th June, 1876.

*1st West India Regiment*, Sub-Lieutenant John Fitzgerald Wyndham Bredin to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th June, 1875.

Thomas Henry Browne, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant C. O. Bulger, retired. Dated 24th June, 1876.

*2nd West India Regiment*, Sub-Lieutenant Archibald Ritchie Hampton to be Lieutenant. Dated 13th May, 1874.

Sub-Lieutenant James Henry Thompson to be Lieutenant. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

*Unattached List*, The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Sub-Lieutenants. Dated 24th June, 1876:—

Frederick Charles Northland Knox.

George Frederick Willes.

James Weir Hogg.

Claude Rainier Rogers.

William Kingsdown Curling.

## COMMISSARIAT AND TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

Assistant Commissary-General Arthur Fulford Adams to be Deputy Commissary-General, vice Charles Bagot Smith, to retired pay, he having completed the requisite service. Dated 1st July, 1876.

Commissary Sidney Reynett Brown, from half-pay, late Control Department, to be Commissary, in succession to Assistant Commissary-General C. D. O'Connor. absorbed in the Establishment of his rank. Dated 1st July, 1876.

Assistant Commissary Frederick Anthony Ritson resigns his Commission. Dated 24th June, 1876.

Assistant Commissary George G. Bowring resigns his Commission. Dated 24th June, 1876.

### ORDNANCE STORE DEPARTMENT.

The surname of the Officer appointed Deputy Commissary-General in the Gazette of the 4th January 1876, is Cleeve, and not Cleave, as therein stated.

### MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Surgeon-Major John Adsetts retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 4th June, 1876.

### CHAPLAINS' DEPARTMENT.

Chaplain of the First Class the Reverend James L. Moody, M.A., retires upon half-pay, he having attained the prescribed age. Dated 1st July, 1876.

The Reverend John King Lethbridge to be Chaplain of the Fourth Class. Dated 3rd December, 1875, such antedate not to carry back allowances.

### HALF-PAY.

Lieutenant William Leir, from the 82nd Foot, to be Captain. Dated 24th June, 1876.

### BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel John M'Kay, 12th Foot, having completed the qualifying Service, to be Colonel. Dated 1st May, 1876.

Captain James Dickson Mackenzie, 75th Foot, to be Major. Dated 5th July, 1872.

Captain John Foot, 3rd Foot, to be Major. Dated 27th February, 1876.

The following promotions to take place consequent on the death, on 21st May, 1876, of General Sir George Bowles, G.C.B., Colonel of the 1st West India Regiment and Lieutenant of the Tower of London :—

Lieutenant-General William Parlby, Colonel of the 21st Hussars, to be General. Dated 22nd May, 1876.

Major-General William Mark Wood to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 22nd May, 1876.

Brevet Colonel William James Loftus, C.B., from Lieutenant-Colonel, half-pay, late 38th Foot, to be Major-General. Dated 28th October, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 22nd May, 1876.

Major William Henry Ralston, 70th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 22nd May, 1876.

Captain Robert W. Sparks, 7th Foot, to be Major. Dated 22nd May, 1876.

The undermentioned Officers to have the temporary rank of Captain in the Army whilst serving as Adjutants of the Auxiliary Forces. Commissions to be dated 25th February, 1874 :—

Henry I. de Kantzow, Royal Carmarthen Artillery Militia.

Honorary Major George Leslie, 15th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Honorary Major Hugh Kennedy, 80th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel H. Crawley, 39th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel John Elliott, 2nd Administrative Battalion Devonshire Rifle Volunteers.

Honorary Major Julius J. Hockley, 3rd Administrative Battalion Devonshire Rifle Volunteers.

## MEMORANDUM.

The undermentioned Officers retire from the Service, receiving the value of their Commissions :—

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel George Clay, half-pay, late 19th Foot. Dated 3rd June, 1876.

Captain the Honourable Randolph H. Stewart, half-pay, late 42nd Foot. Dated 3rd June, 1876.

Captain Duncan Campbell, half-pay, late 89th Foot. Dated 3rd June, 1876.

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*India Office, 22nd June, 1876.*

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the transfer to the Half-Pay List of the Indian Staff Corps of the undermentioned Officers :—

Captain and Brevet Major George Francis Beville, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Captain Thomas Davenport Chatterton, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 26th May, 1876.

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*War Office, 23rd June, 1876.*

## MILITIA.

*Bedford.*

Captain Alfred Hubert Lucas is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 24th June, 1876.

*Royal Carmarthen Artillery.*

Sub-Lieutenant Henry Wightman Benson to be Lieutenant. Dated 23rd January, 1875.

*1st Royal Cheshire.*

Sub-Lieutenant Harry Fortescue to be Lieutenant.  
Dated 18th April, 1874.

*2nd or North Durham.*

Captain William Alfred Clarke resigns his Commission. Dated 24th June, 1876.

*Durham Artillery.*

Harold Percy Ditmas, Gent., to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 12th June, 1876.

*Royal North Gloucester.*

Captain William Wreford Brown resigns his Commission. Dated 24th June, 1876.

*West Kent.*

Lieutenant Alexander Herbert Arthur Smith to be Captain. Dated 24th June, 1876.

*Kent Artillery.*

Lewis Narbrough Hughes D'Aeth, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 24th June, 1876.

*1st Royal Lancashire.*

William Preston Gardner, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 24th June, 1876.

*6th Royal Lancashire.*

Surgeon William Frederick Lewis Gompertz resigns his Commission. Dated 24th June, 1876.

*Norfolk Artillery.*

Lieutenant Anthony William Partridge to be Captain, vice F. B. Astley, resigned. Dated 10th June, 1876.

*2nd Warwick.*

Captain Spencer Field, 6th Foot, to be Adjutant. Dated 8th June, 1876.

Adjutant Spencer Field to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 8th June, 1876.

*Royal Ayr and Wigtown.*

Randolph Gordon Erskine Wemyss, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 9th June, 1876.

Lord John Kennedy to be Sub-Lieutenant (Super-numerary). Dated 10th June, 1876.

*Highland Borderers Light Infantry.*

Assistant-Surgeon Donald Patrick Stewart resigns his Commission. Dated 24th June, 1876.

*1st Royal Lanark.*

Captain Charles Edward Hope Vere resigns his Commission. Dated 24th June, 1876.

*2nd Royal Lanark.*

Ewen Somerled Cameron, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 8th June, 1876.

Benjamin Bond Cabbell, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 9th June, 1876.

*Carlou.*

The appointment of Archer Clive Bolton, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary), dated 18th April, 1876, notified in the Gazette of 2nd May, 1876, is cancelled.

*Cavan.*

Sub-Lieutenant Francis Alexander Sanders to be Lieutenant. Dated 6th May, 1874.

*Royal South Down.*

Captain and Honorary Major Richard Ravenscroft Nelson resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 24th June, 1876.



*Dublin County.*

Sub - Lieutenant Athanasius Francis William Geoffrey de Geneville Cusack to be Lieutenant.  
Dated 28th January, 1874.

Sub-Lieutenant Guy Lenox Lambert to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th April, 1874.

*Fermanagh.*

Lieutenant William Hamilton Haire to be Captain. Dated 24th June, 1876.

## YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

*Cheshire.*

Captain the Honourable Robert Wellesley Grosvenor resigns his Commission. Dated 24th June, 1876.

*Essex.*

Charles Henry Gregg, Esq., late Captain, 8th Hussars, to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary).  
Dated 10th June, 1876.

*Hampshire.*

Reginald Edward Pole, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 24th June, 1876.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the  
County of Dorset.*

Harry Farr Yeatman, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 16th June, 1876.

Pandelli Ralli, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.  
Dated 16th June, 1876.

John Montagu Pulteney Montagu, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 16th June, 1876.

FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 27,*  
1876.

*Foreign Office, May 8, 1876.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Henry John Murray, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul at Portland, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Buenos Ayres.

*Foreign Office, May 27, 1876.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Arthur Raby, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul at Scutari, to be Her Majesty's Consul for the State of Maine, to reside at Portland.

*Foreign Office, June 8, 1876.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Lieutenant Edward Albert Liardet, R.N., to be Her Majesty's Consul in the Navigators Islands.

*Foreign Office, June 19, 1876.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Alexander Gollan, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul at Grey Town, to be Her Majesty's Consul for the Republic of Nicaragua, to reside at Grey Town.

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*Admiralty, 23rd June, 1876.*

Assistant-Paymaster Alfred Purvis Freeman has been promoted to the rank of Paymaster in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 19th instant.

*Royal Naval Artillery Volunteers.  
Liverpool Brigade.*

W. S. Graves, Esq., and Frederick Massey, Esq.,  
to be Honorary Lieutenants. Dated 23rd  
June, 1876.

*Admiralty, 26th June, 1876.*

The Reverend Frederic L. Warleigh has been  
appointed Naval Instructor in Her Majesty's  
Fleet, with seniority of 21st instant.

In accordance with the provisions of Her  
Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February,  
1870—

Lieutenant Edward Rothwell Wheelock Noble has  
been this day placed on the Retired List of his  
rank.

*War Office, Pall Mall,  
27th June, 1876.*

*Brigade Dépôt*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet  
Colonel George Courtney Vials, from half-pay,  
late 95th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel.  
Dated 28th June, 1876.

*Veterinary Department*, Staff Veterinary-Surgeon  
James Collins to be Principal Veterinary-Sur-  
geon, in succession to John Wilkinson, deceased.  
Dated 28th June, 1876.

*War Office, 27th June, 1876.*

MILITIA.

*Royal Berks.*

George Frederick Clayton-East, Gent., to be  
Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 28th  
June, 1876.

*Hampshire.*

Robert Frederiek Hankey Hirst, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 28th June, 1876.

*Hampshire Artillery.*

Lieutenant Martin Henry Drayson Lister resigns his Commission. Dated 28th June, 1876.

*East Kent.*

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Thomas Howell is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 28th June, 1876.

*Royal North Lincoln.*

Sub-Lieutenant Cecil Algernon Broke Turnor to be Lieutenant. Dated 10th March, 1875.

*Royal East Middlesex.*

Major William Robertson is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 28th June, 1876.

*4th or Royal South Middlesex.*

John Albert Vincent, Esq., late Lieutenant 25th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 16th June, 1876.

*Royal Montgomery.*

Lieutenant-Colonel John Heyward Heyward is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 28th June, 1876.

Captain and Honorary Major John Pryce Harrison to be Major. Dated 28th June, 1876.

Lieutenant James Lloyd Tamberlain to be Captain, vice J. P. Harrison, promoted. Dated 28th June, 1876.

*1st or West Norfolk.*

Sub-Lieutenant Edmund Elwin Taylor to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th July, 1874.

Sub-Lieutenant Alfred Meller to be Lieutenant.  
Dated 25th November, 1874.

*2nd or East Norfolk.*

Sub-Lieutenant Octavius Nevil Long to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th February, 1875.

Sub-Lieutenant Herbert John James Middleton to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd April, 1875.

*Northumberland Artillery.*

Captain Henry Best Hans Hamilton to be Major.  
Dated 28th June, 1876.

*Oxford.*

John William Davis, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 28th June, 1876.

*Pembroke Artillery.*

Sub-Lieutenant George Walter Brandon Swiney to be Lieutenant. Dated 14th April, 1875.

Frank James Gordon Thomas, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 28th June, 1876.

*The (King's Own) 1st Stafford.*

Lionel McMahon Davies, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 12th June, 1876.

*Royal Sussex.*

Charles Henry, Earl of March, late Lieutenant and Captain Grenadier Guards, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 28th June, 1876.

Lieutenant Charles James Pakenham Lawrell to be Captain. Dated 28th June, 1876.

Lieutenant James Martin Carr Lloyd to be Captain. Dated 28th June, 1876.

*The King's Own Royal Tower Hamlets.*

The services of Quartermaster Wellington White are dispensed with. Dated 28th June, 1876.

*Worcester.*

Captain Thomas Lyford Champion resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 28th June, 1876.

Lieutenant John Thackwell resigns his Commission. Dated 28th June, 1876.

Lieutenant Alfred Winsmore Hooper to be Captain, vice T. L. Champion, who resigns. Dated 28th June, 1876.

*1st West York.*

Captain Robert Biseoe, half-pay, late 19th Foot, to be Captain. Date 14th June, 1876.

*6th West York.*

Seymour Henry Sainsbury Sainsbury, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 28th June, 1876.

*The Royal Aberdeenshire Highlanders.*

Charles Thomas Graham Trotter, Esq., late Lieutenant, 93rd Foot, to be Captain. Dated 14th June, 1876.

Sub-Lieutenant the Honourable Arthur Hay to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd December, 1873.

Sub-Lieutenant William Disney Innes to be Lieutenant. Dated 21st January, 1874.

*Haddington, Berwick, Linlithgow, and Peebles  
Artillery.*

Colonel Thomas Shairp, late Lieutenant-Colonel-Commandant, to be Honorary Colonel of the Regiment, vice W. Hay, deceased. Dated 28th June, 1876.

*Armagh.*

Arthur John Nettleship, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 12th June, 1876.

*South Cork.*

Major Henry Lueas resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 28th June, 1876.

*Dublin County.*

Sub-Lieutenant George FitzGerald Murphy resigns his Commission. Dated 28th June 1876.

*Limerick City Artillery.*

Captain Charles Mathew Moran resigns his Commission. Dated 28th June, 1876.

*Waterford Artillery.*

John Frederick Blennerhassett, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 13th June, 1876.

*Wexford.*

The appointment of Captain Thomas Charge Wray, 18th Foot, to be Adjutant, and to serve with the rank of Captain, dated 1st February, 1876, notified in the Gazette of the 18th February 1876, to bear date the 23rd February, 1876.

## YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

*West Kent.*

Captain William Smith Nicholson resigns his Commission. Dated 28th June, 1876.



*Leicestershire.*

Major-General Richard William Penn, Earl Howe, C.B., to be Honorary Colonel of the Regiment. Dated 28th June, 1876.

Captain Frederick Palmer to be Major, vice C. T. Freer, resigned. Dated 28th June, 1876.

Lieutenant Thomas Allan Henry to be Captain, vice F. Palmer, promoted. Dated 28th June, 1876.

*Shropshire.*

Thomas Roberts, Gent., to be Veterinary Surgeon, vice W. E. Litt, resigned. Dated 28th June, 1876.

*Suffolk.*

Lieutenant-Colonel John Thomas Ord resigns his Commission. Dated 28th June, 1876.

John Thomas Ord, Esq., late Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Honorary Colonel of the Regiment. Dated 28th June, 1876.

*1st West York.*

Lieutenant O. J. G. B. Bridgeman Simpson to be Captain. Dated 28th June, 1876.

*Commission signed by the Vice Lieutenant of the West Riding of the County of York, and of the City and County of the City of York.*

Frederick George Milner, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 10th June, 1876.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Monmouth.*

Sir Henry Mather Jackson, Bart., Q.C., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd June, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Lyne to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd June, 1876.

Major James Davies to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd June, 1876.

Major George Griffin Tyler to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd June, 1876.

Edward Lister, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd June, 1876.

John Capel Hanbury, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd June, 1876.

Ivor John Caradoc Herbert, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd June, 1876.

FROM THE  
*LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 9,*  
 1876.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 27th day of  
*June*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased, on a representation of the Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Council on Education, to appoint—

Herbert Cowie, Esquire, M.A., Fellow of Saint John's College, Cambridge.

Reginald Merrick Fowler, Esquire, B.A., Pembroke College, Oxford, and

Henry William Gegg Markheim, Esquire, M.A.,  
 Fellow of Queen's College, Oxford,  
 to be three of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools.

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At the Court at *Windsor*, the 17th day of  
*May*, 1876.

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council  
 was pleased to nominate and appoint Sir William  
 Withey Gull, Bart., to be again for the term of  
 five years from the 29th day of June instant, a  
 Member of the General Council of Medical  
 Education and Registration of the United King-  
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*Windsor Castle, June 27, 1876.*

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the  
 honour of Knighthood on Thomas Howell, Esq.,  
 late Director of Contracts, War Department.

*Windsor Castle, June 27, 1876.*

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the  
 honour of Knighthood on George Webbe Dasent,  
 Esq., D.C.L., one of Her Majesty's Civil Service  
 Commissioners.

*Windsor Castle, June 27, 1876.*

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the  
 honour of Knighthood on Professor Charles  
 Wyville-Thomson, Director of the Civilian  
 Scientific Staff of Her Majesty's ship "Challenger."

*India Office, June 28, 1876.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to nominate and appoint the Most Noble Riehard Plantagenet Campbell, Duke of Buekingham and Chandos, Governor of the Presidency of Madras, and Sir Philip Edmond Wodehouse, K.C.B., Governor of the Presidency of Bombay, to be Extra Knights Grand Commanders of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India.

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*Foreign Office, June 28, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Cavaliere Giovanni Gallian as Consul at Bombay, with jurisdiction on the Coast of Hindostan from Cape Comorin to Kurrachee, for His Majesty the King of Italy.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. C. T. Meili as Consul at Bombay for His Majesty the King of the Netherlands.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Don Geo. B. Kerferd as Consul at Liverpool for the Republie of Niearagua.

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*Crown Office, June 28, 1876.*

MEMBERS returned to serve in the present  
PARLIAMENT.

*County of Pembroke.*

James Bevan Bowen, of Llwyngwain, Pembroke-shire, Esq., in the place of Sir John Henry Scourfield, Bart., deceased.

*Borough of Birmingham.*

Joseph Chamberlain, of 35, Augustus-road, Birmingham, Esq., in the place of George Dixon, Esq., who has accepted the Chiltern Hundreds.

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*Admiralty, 27th June, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Commander George Powys has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 22nd instant.

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*War Office, Pall Mall,*

*30th June, 1876.*

ORDNANCE STORE DEPARTMENT.

Assistant Commissaries-General Charles Mills Molony and G. G. Munro to be Acting Deputy Commissaries-General, while serving with the Second and Fifth Army Corps during the mobilization. Dated 1st July, 1876.

MEMORANDUM.

The surname of Sub Assistant-Commissary Masters John Godfery was erroneously spelt Godfrey in the Gazettes of 4th May, 1875, and 4th January, 1876.

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*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant and Sheriff Principal of the County of Ayr.*

Charles Edward Hastings Abney Hastings, Earl of Loudon, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 23rd June, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Vereker Campbell to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 23rd June, 1876.

Thomas Anderson, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 23rd June, 1876.

William Cochran Patrick, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 23rd June, 1876.

William Smith Dixon, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 23rd June, 1876.

William Fairlie, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 23rd June, 1876.

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